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BOMBAY :—FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1882.

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AND ORIENTAL MPANY.

EZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, OUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, ND MARSEILLES.

E following or other eamers will be despatched as

	s.	H.P.	Captains.	
		450	R. G. Murray	1st Dec.
		500	M. de Horne ...	8th ,,
		500	A. B. Daniell..	16th ,,
		501	W. E. Breeze...	23rd ,,
		500	G. W. Atkinson	29th ,,
				1883.
		530	R. B. Haselwood	5th Jan.
		600	J. B. Chapman .	12th ,,
		700	A. H. Johnson .	19th ,,
		530	A. W. Adams .	26th ,,
		600	C. G. Perrins,	2nd Feby.
		500	G. Scrivener	9th ,,
L. ROME	...	5013	850	G.F. Cates	16th ,,
— KASHGAR	..	2621	450	R.G. Murray	23rd ,,
L. THAMES	..	4101	750	W. D. Anderson	2nd Mar.
— VENETIA	..	2726	50	A. B. Daniell	9th ,,
L. GANGES	..	4196	750	W. B. Andrews	16th ,,
— MALWA	..	2959	500	G. W. Atkinson	23rd ,,
L. PEKIN	..	3800	600	A. Symons	30th ,,
— POONAH	..	3130	600	J. B. Chapman	6th Apr.
L. BOKHARA	..	2932	550	H. Weignell	13th ,,
— SURAT	..	3142	550	A. W. Adamson	20th ,,
L. GATHAY	..	2983	500	W. M. Robbie	27th ,,
— HYDASPES	..	2281	500	G. Scrivener	4th May.

* Extra Steamer.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, and MARSEILLES, by every Mail. The Steamers marked L proceed direct to London calling at Plymouth. By the others passengers change vessels at Suez.

Return Tickets are now issued at reduced rates as under: THREE MONTHS—From date of departure to that of return.

	Via Brindisi, both ways.	Via Brindisi, one way.	Via London, both ways.
First Class ..	Rs. 950	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 1,050
Second Class..	Rs. 500	Rs. 550	Rs. 600
SIX MONTHS—			
First Class ..	Rs. 1,150	Rs. 1,200	Rs. 1,250
Second Class.	Rs. 600	Rs. 650	Rs. 700

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT COLOMBO.

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1882.
ROME	5013	800	G. F. Cates	1st Dec.
THAMES	4101	750	W. D. Anderson	15th ,,
INDUS	3462	600	S. D. Shallard	29th ,,
				1883.
ROHILLA	3500	600	W. Barrat	12th Jan.

Return Tickets are now issued :— 1st Class. 2nd Class.

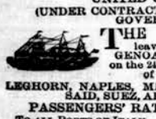
	Rs.	Rs.
To K. George's Sound, Adelaide, Melbourne or Sydney and back (available for nine months)	600	375
To Colombo and back (available for two months)	150	75
To Madras and back (available for two months)	210	105
To Calcutta and back. do.	330	165
To Penang or Singapore and back (available for three months)	450	225
To Hongkong and back (available for three months)	630	390
To Shanghai or Yokohama and back (available for three months)	810	465

Passengers for Australia change steamers at Colombo.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 24th November, 1882.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

FLORIO & RUBATTINO'S
UNITED COMPANIES
(UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.)



THE Regular Mail-steamers leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th on the 1st of each month, calling at

LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and *vice versa*.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY

To All Ports of Italy.		To Marseilles.	
I Class ..	R. 500 including	I Class ..	R. 520 including
II do.....	340 } wines.	II do.	350 } wines.
III do.....	150 } With food.	III do.	155 } With food.

Children under 3 years, free of [illegible]
Children not above 10 years, [illegible]
Passengers' heavy Baggage [illegible] free
Hand-books. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be ascertained from the Agent.

*** Following or other first Class Steamers will leave Bombay :—

CHINA, on Friday.....1st Dec. 1882.
MAY HILL, on Friday.....8th Dec. 1882.
RAFFAELE RUBATTINO on Monday.....15th Jan. 1883.

Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board free of charge, by the Company's steam launch, leaving Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a.m.

Through Railway Tickets to London, available for 17 days.

From Genoa, I Class Calais Route, R. 95 Brighton Route R. 10
,, ,, II do. do. ,, 70 do. ,, 55
From Naples, I do. do. ,, 145 do. ,, 120
,, ,, II do. do. ,, 105 do. ,, 13

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Freight, &c. apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Assoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.
Bombay, Nov. 20, 1882.

FRENCH LINE.

CIE NATIONALE DE NAVIGATION.

Regular monthly steamers to Marseilles doing the run in 20 days.

THE new first-class steamer COLOMBO, 2,017 tons, 450 horse-power, will leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES direct on the 24th December.

She has, in common with the other new steamers of this Company, splendid accommodation for passengers, being built specially with a view to their comfort, the cabins being roomy and containing two berths only. She carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First class to Marseilles, Rs. 500 including wines.
Children under three years of age free of charge.
,, over three and under eight ½ charge.
,, ,, eight and under twelve ¾ ,,

The Railway fares from Marseilles to London are as follows :—

Via Calais and Dover (Mail)..... 1st class £ 7 5 0
Via Dieppe ,, 1st class ,, 5 18 1

Passengers' heavy baggage will be delivered in London free of charge.

The above steamer will be followed by the Canton or Comorin leaving 21st January.

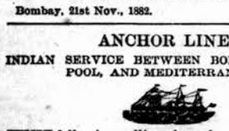
Steamers of this line will leave Bombay regularly on the 21st of each month from January, and they will sail from Marseilles, on the 20th of each month.

For further particulars apply to

Messrs. RALLI BROTHERS,
Agents.
Bombay, 21st Nov., 1882.

ANCHOR LINE.

INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.



THE following sailings have been arranged :—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.

	Tons.	H.P.	Commdrs.	About
s. s. CALIFORNIA	3,410	1,000	Wm. Young	28th Nov.
s. s. HISPANIA	...3,380	500	Jas. Harris	...18th Dec.
s. s. NUBIA	4,500	600	D. Shallard	30th Dec.

* This steamer does not carry passengers.

BOMBAY TO MEDITERRANEAN.

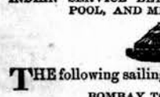
s. s. AUSTRALIA	...2,250	450	D. C. Campbell	...9th Dec.
s. s. ALSATIA	2,850	800	J. D. Murray	...11th Jan.

To be followed by other 1st class steamers at regular intervals.

For rates and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Bombay, 16th October, 1882. Agents.

ANCHOR LINE.



S. S. CALIFORNIA, 3,410 tons, 1,000-horse Power, Captain WM. YOUNG, will SAIL for LIVERPOOL on the 30th NOVEMBER, 1882.

For passage apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & CO.,
Agents.

CLAN LINE OF STEAMERS.

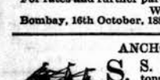
THE S. S. CLAN RANALD, 2,068 Tons gross, will SAIL for LIVERPOOL on or about the 30th instant.

The S. S. CLAN GRAHAM, 3,000 Tons gross, will SAIL for MARSEILLES on or about the 15th proximo.

PASSAGE MONEY, TO LIVERPOOL Rs. 450.
,, ,, MARSEILLES ,, 400.

For further particulars apply to

FINLAY, MUIR & Co.,
Bombay, 16th November, 1882. Agents.



S. S. CALIFORNIA has arrived from GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL and is DISCHARGING in the Prince's Dock.

W. and A. GRAHAM and Co.,
Agents.

SWIFT & FARROW,

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS, AUDITORS, &c.

UNDERTAKE COLLECTION OF OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

No. 42, MEADOW STEET, FORT, BOMBAY.

NOTICE.

WE have THIS DAY TAKEN OVER the whole of the STOCK of SEWING-MACHINES of Messrs. CHAS. ZERENNER & Co., of Bombay, and are prepared to attend to all Orders and Communications respecting the same.

H. A. GEYER & CO.,
6, Elphinstone-circle, Fort, Bombay.
Bombay, 21st October, 1882.

WE beg to inform our Constituents and the Public in general that WE have from THIS DATE HANDED OVER the whole of our STOCK of SEWING-MACHINES to Messrs. H. A. GEYER & Co., of Bombay, to whom all Orders and Communications respecting the same should be addressed in future.

C. ZERENNER & CO.,
6, Elphinstone-circle, Fort, Bombay.
Bombay, 21st October, 1882

SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED)

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR LONDON.

S. S. GOA, 1,906 Tons, on 3rd December, calling at Kurrachee, Aden, Suez, Port Said, Algiers and Lisbon.

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. AFRICA, 2,032 Tons, on THURSDAY, 30th November, 1882, at 4 p. m., calling at Rutnagherry, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Madras, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopaulpore and False Point. Ports are called at in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. ARABIA, 1,080 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 29th November, 1882, at 4 p. m., calling at Kurrachee, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao, and Mussreh, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. PACHUMBA, 862 Tons, on 26th November, 1882, at 10 a.m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, INHAMBANE, QUILIMANE AND DELAGOA BAY.

S. S. PUNJAUB, 1,080 tons, on THURSDAY, 30th November, 1882.

N.B.—EXPORTS.—To save shippers the trouble of clearing and shipping, shipments not exceeding five tons will be received, and Bills of Lading granted in exchange at the Offices of the undersigned.

Railway receipts for packages from up-country should be forwarded to the undersigned, who will undertake clearance and shipment.

IMPORTS.—The undersigned undertakes the landing, clearing and delivery in Bombay or forwarding by rail or steamer packages by the Company's Steamers. Bills of Lading and particulars of contents and value of same by forwarding instructions.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 23rd November, 1882. Agents.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FRESH IMPORTATIONS,

EX S. S. "SUTLEJ," OF

NESTLE'S SWISS MILK and ANGLO-SWISS MILK, Milk-maid brand. } Cash 7 annas per tin.

Per doz. Rs. 5.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.

'XMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS.

NOVELTIES IN GREAT VARIETY
NOW ON VIEW

At the several Establishments of TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TREACHER & COMPANY'S ANTI-FEVER MIXTURE

FOR the prevention and cure of FEVER *(intermittent or remittent)* Ague and other Malarial Affections.

Per bottle As. 14 and Re. 1-8.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

RUBBER LAWN-TENNIS BALLS.

	Cash per do
BEST UNCOVERED, 2 inch	Rs. 3 0
BEST UNCOVERED, 2½ inch	,, 3 8
FLANNEL COVERED, Silk Sewn, Regulation size	,, 8 0
FLANNEL COVERED, Catgut Sewn, Regulation size	,, 8 0

TREACHER AND COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TREACHER'S SPORTING AMMUNITION.

BULLETS. CAPS. CARTRIDGES. CARTRIDGE CASES. CARTRIDGE LOADERS.
GUNPOWDER. SHOT, ordinary and chilled WADS. HUNTING KNIVES. MEASURES, &c.

Sole Agents for the Bombay Presidency for PIGOU, WILKS and LAURENCE'S

CELEBRATED "ALLIANCE" PRIZE GUNPOWDER.

Detailed Price Lists free on Application.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

FISHING TACKLE,

SPECIALLY MANUFACTURED FOR INDIA.

BAITING NEEDLES. CLEARING RINGS. DISGORGERS. FLIES, Artificial. FLOATS, Cork and Quill. GAFF HOOKS. GIMP and GIMP TRACES. GUT, Salmon and Trout. GUT CASTING LINES, single, double, and treble. GUT TRACES, single and double. HOOKS, single and treble, loose, and on gut. HOOKS on GIMP, single, double and treble.
LEAD SINKERS. LINES, Plated Silk, Waterproof Silk, and Twisted silk and Hair. PHANTOM MINNOWS and Artificial Fish. REELS with secret checks. RINGS and KEEPERS. RODS, Fly, General, Salmon, and Trolling. SHOT CUTTERS and Pliers. SILK for binding and mounting. SPOON BAITS. SWIVELS, assorted.

Detailed Price Lists upon application.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

BORO GLYCERIDE.

THE new ANTISEPTIC, recently patented by Prof. Barff for preserving Milk and other articles of Food. Also said to be very serviceable in surgery. A sample shipment received.

Per ounce, 8 annas.
Per pound, Rs. 5.

KEMP AND CO., Limited,
SASSOON HOUSE, BOMBAY.

THE DEWAN'S PICKLE,

A CONDIMENT of rare excellence; prepared under state supervision from the choicest Indian Fruits. The most delicious combination yet produced. As an adjunct to Meat Fowl, Fish, Curries, Pilaus, Macaronis, &c., &c., it cannot be equalled, imparting an exquisite zest to the plainest food and reviving the most jaded appetite.

Per Jar, Re. 1.

SOLE AGENTS,
KEMP & CO., Limited,
SASSOON HOUSE, BOMBAY.

ROCKE'S FLUID MAGNESIA.

THIS has been pronounced superior to any similar preparation hitherto offered to the public. It possesses all the excellences of Magnesia in the soluble form, is the best of all Antacids both for adults and children, regulates the Bowels, relieves Bilious Headaches, Sea-Sickness and Acid Secretions, and is one of the most useful Family Medicines.

Per bottle 8 Annas.

SOLE AGENTS,
KEMP & CO., Ld., BOMBAY.

KEMP'S PURE NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL.

SUPPLIED under special engagement by one of the largest extractors in Norway. His factory is advantageously situated where the Fish can be delivered direct from the boats without being beached, and the extraction being rapidly effected at a low temperature, the result is an oil unsurpassable in paleness and purity. We have the CHOICE OF THIS OIL [illegible]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.

LESSEE AND MANAGER...HERR BANDMANN.
STAGE MANAGER.....MR. AUGUSTUS GLOVER.

TO-NIGHT, FRIDAY, NOV. 24, 1882.
SIXTH GRAND FASHIONABLE SUBSCRIPTION NIGHT.
Under the distinguished Patronage AND PRESENCE
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OF H. E. THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY.
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Shakespeare's sublime tragedy of
OTHELLO,
MOOR OF VENICE.

SATURDAY:
KING RICHARD III.

MONDAY:
PATIENCE.

TUESDAY:
COLLEEN BAWN.

Prices as usual. Box Office at the Theatre.
Reservation of Seats at SOUNDY & Co.

LECTURE AT THE FRAMJI COWASJI INSTITUTE, on SATURDAY, Nov. 25, at 6-30 p. m. (Madras Time), by the Rev. LUKE RIVINGTON, M. A., on TELEOLOGY, or DESIGN in NATURE. H. E. the GOVERNOR of BOMBAY in the chair.

KING, KING & Co.

AS I am PROCEEDING to England by the mail of 5th December next, I have MADE OVER CHARGE of the above firm to Mr. HAROLD ROBERTSON KING who will for the future represent it.

ALFRED DANN SAUNDERS,
4, Church-lane.

AN EXCELLENT hand-sketched DINNER SERVICE FOR SALE. For particulars and price apply to WM. WATSON and Co., 28, Apollo-street, Bombay.

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Italian Mail-steamer MANILLA, Captain CRUCIANI ANTONIO, which ARRIVED in Harbour from Newcastle on the 23rd inst., are hereby informed that she is ready to discharge her cargo, and that they are requested to SEND BILLS of LADING for COUNTERSIGNATURES and PAY FREIGHT (if any), and apply for delivery orders at the Company's Office, Sassoon House, Elphinstone-circle, without delay.

All claims for short delivery, &c., must be sent in before the departure of the steamer; otherwise they will not be admitted under any circumstances.

F. BOZZONI, Agent.

THE LATE HON'BLE MORARJEE GOCULDAS, C. I. E., MEMORIAL FUND.

APPLICATIONS from Undergraduates of the Bombay University for APPRENTICESHIP in the ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT of the MORARJEE MILL under the regulations of the above Fund, will be received by the Directors up to 20th December next.

MORARJEE GOCULDAS & Co.,
Agents.

THE undersigned begs most respectfully to announce that he has got a LARGE VARIETY of WOOLEN CLOTH, viz. Broad Cloth, Trousering, Merrino, Alpaca, Flannel, &c., &c.

He also undertakes to supply ready-made Clothes for Gentlemen, Grooms, Office Peons, Domestic Servants, &c., &c.

Gentlemen who will accord him their patronage will find that his charges are very moderate and the work very satisfactorily done.

Samples are forwarded at any time when desired.

JAMSETJEE EDULJEE BANAJWALLA,
101, Fort Bazaar Gate.

RUPEES 750,
CHUBB'S PATENT SAFE,
40 by 37 by 24,
WITH FOLDING DOORS.

TWO Drawers, three Partitions, and Shelf, with open space above, fitted with two Locks weighing 13 cwt. 2 qrs. and 20 lbs. nett.

CHUBB'S BOX AND LOCK MART,
47, PARSEE BAZAAR-STREET, FORT, BOMBAY.
ESTABLISHED 1847.
A few paces from the *Times of India* Office.

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN
NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS
FOR 1883.

MESSRS. COOPER & Co. beg to remind their Constituents that SUBSCRIPTIONS for the ENSUING YEAR should be RENEWED by the end of November, 1882, so that the Renewal Order may reach England in time to prevent any break in the supplies.

COOPER and Co. will be happy to forward free by Post their handsomely got-up CALENDAR and DIRECTORY for 1883. It has been expressly designed to order, by Messrs. EYRE and SPOTTISWOODE, Printers to Her Majesty, and containing their revised and enlarged list of English and Foreign Newspapers and Periodicals.

Residents in Poona will oblige by ordering their supplies through our Branch there.

COOPER & COMPANY,
BOOK-SELLERS AND NEWSAGENTS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
BOMBAY : MEDOWS-STREET, FORT.
POONA : EAST-STREET.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.
COCOANUT AND CASTOR-OILS.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of COCOANUT and CASTOR OILS required by the company for twelve months commencing the first day of February next to be delivered from time to time, in such quantities as may be required, the annual consumption averaging about 475 tons of Cocoanut-oil, and 650 tons of Castor-oil. Samples may be seen at the Store-keeper's Office, Byculla.

Sealed Tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Oil" and which must specify the rate per cwt. delivered at the Store Depôts, Byculla and Parel, will be received by the Agent at the Company's Offices, Elphinstone-circle, Bombay, up to 1 p. m. (Gun-fire) on WEDNESDAY, 20th December next, after which hour no Tender will be received.

No notice will be taken of any Tender unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government Promissory Notes.

Four per cent. on the value of the contract will be required as security; one half to be deposited on signing the contract, and the remainder by 5 per cent. retentions from monthly payments.

The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

ALFRED KING, Storekeeper.
Store-keeper's Office, Byculla, 23rd November, 1882.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY
COTTON WASTE.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of COTTON WASTE in three qualities required by the company for twelve months, commencing the first day of February next, to be delivered from time to time in such quantities as may be required; the annual consumption, averaging about 60 Tons of No. 1, 70 Tons of No. 2, and 80 Tons of No. 3. Samples may be seen at the Storekeeper's Office, Byculla.

Sealed Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Cotton Waste" which must specify the rates per cwt. delivered at the Stores Depots, Byculla, and Parel, will be received by the Agent at the Company's Offices, Elphinstone-circle, Bombay, up to 1 p.m. (Gun-fire) on WEDNESDAY, 20th December next, after which hour no Tender will be received.

No notice will be taken of any Tender unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government Promissory Notes.

Five per cent. on the value of the contract will be required as security. One-half to be deposited on signing the contract, and the remainder by 5 per cent. retentions from monthly payments.

The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

ALFRED KING, Storekeeper.
Storekeeper's Office, Byculla, 23rd November, 1882.

HAIR BRUSHES

OF
SPECIAL EXCELLENCE AND DURABILITY.

	Rs. a.
LADIES' WIRE BRUSHES with Bristle Edges. Excellent penetrating brushes but do not tear the hair, the wires being set in India Rubber. A source of the greatest comfort to Ladies having long hair, each	1 8
DR. SCOTT'S ELECTRIC BRUSHES. Recommended for Neuralgia and Headache ..... each	8 0
FINEST BRISTLE TOILET BRUSHES for Ladies or Gentlemen ...per pair Rs. 2-8 to	9 0
FINEST TOILET BRUSHES, Pairs in Morocco Cases	

TREACHER & COMPANY, LIMITED.

GENTLEMEN'S HALF HOSE.

LISLE THREAD, White Ground, Fancy Stripes, Navy Blue and Chocolate; Drab with Embroidered Ankles: Inches 10, 10½, 11 ... ...from Rs. 18 to Rs. 30
CASHMERE; Navy Cardinal and Seal; Drab with Fancy Stripes: Inches 10, 10½, 11 ... ...from 18 to 33
MERINO; Plain Colours with Fancy Silk Embroidered Ankles: Inches 9½, 10, 10½, 11 ... ...from 16 to 26
MERINO; Fancy Colours, Fancy Stripes: Inches 9½, 10, 10½, 11 ... ...from 15 to 25
COTTON; Fawn, Navy Blue, Drab with Fancy Stripes; Inches 9½, 10, 10½, 11 ... ...from 13 to 20
COTTON; Navy Blue, Chocolate and Cardinal; White Toes and Heels: Inches 9½, 10, 10½, 11 ... ...from 13 to 20
COTTON; Fancy Stripes in great variety: Inches 9½, 10, 10½, 11 ... ...from 12 to 20
COTTON; Plain Brown, Stout Quality: Inches 9½, 10, 10½ ... ...from 6 to 12

GENTS' GAUZE VESTS AND PANTS.

SUPERIOR FELT HATS, Latest Shapes, Feather Weight.
SUPERIOR WHITE KID GLOVES.
MILITARY GLOVES.
DRIVING GLOVES.
LADIES' BEST BLACK KID GLOVES.

TREACHER AND COMPANY, Ld. BOMBAY, BYCULLA, & POONA.

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A GRAND EXHIBITION
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CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CAKES.

RESIDENTS AND UP-COUNTRY CONSTITUENTS can now register orders for XMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CAKES AND ALL KINDS of CONFECTIONERY at "THE CRITERION" opposite TREACHER & Co.'s Fort Establishment.

BIRTHDAY CAKES and all kinds of CONFECTIONERY made to order on the shortest notice.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

THURSDAY EVENING, Nov. 23.

WITH the exception of a little temporary activity in Cotton, the result of rather better advices from Liverpool, our various export markets have rather hung fire this week. Supplies of Seeds and Wheat have been smaller than formerly, and markets in Europe have been uniformly adverse in tone. The existing dulness, however, is not likely to be more than temporary, as the crop reports from up-country are on the whole very favourable, and with the produce available for shipment it ultimately becomes merely a question of price as to how and when it goes forward. Imports are steady and moderately active, but there is nothing indicative of activity. Money continues cheap. Government Paper is quiet ; Shares dull ; Sterling Exchange tending easier.

MONEY.—The last Bank of Bombay return, when carefully examined, was rather in favour of dearer money, but at the usual weekly Board Meeting on Wednesday no change of any kind was made in rates of discount, and the outside market in consequence continues easy. We call the rate for short loans on Government Paper 2½ to 3 per cent., and on shares or similar security, 6 to 7 per cent. per annum. At these figures, however, there is only a limited demand for accommodation, and but for the firmness reported from Calcutta, we would have no reason to anticipate dearer money here until well on in the busy season. As it is, we question whether any advance of importance will take place this year.

EXCHANGE.—Our quotations of Thursday last for sterling were barely supported on mail-day, and there was rather an indication of a decline setting in. On Saturday, however, Bar Silver in London advanced ½d. to 51 7-16d. per oz., and rates here hardened up somewhat in consequence, the highest point of the market being touched on Tuesday, when demand Bank Bills were quoted at 1s. 7 13-16d. and 3 months' Credits at 1s. 8 1-32d. per rupee. Yesterday rather an unsettled feeling prevailed, it having transpired that the G. I. P. Railway Company in London had sold 30 lacs of telegraphic transfer in London on Monday at 1s. 7¾d., and it was consequently anticipated that Government would get that figure for their 25 lacs of Council drafts yesterday. That they would have done so had they adhered to their minimum there can be little doubt, but in their financial policy the India Council are, to say the least of it, peculiar, and they reduced their minimum to 1s. 7 11-16d., at which as a matter of course the full amount was absorbed. To-day we have been a shade weaker in consequence, closing rates for ready paper on London being :—

Bank Bills on demand		1s. 7¾d.	per Rupee
Do.	Telegraphic	1s. 7 11-16d.	"
Do.	3 Months' sight	1s. 7 29-32d.	"
Credits	4 "	1s. 8d.	"
Documents	3 "	1s. 8 1-32d.	"
Francs	3 "	2·11	"

In the early part of the week a large business was done both ready and forward, exporters being pretty free sellers, but the late rise has checked business, and to-day almost nothing has been offered in the shape of Mercantile paper. This shows pretty fairly the real feeling in the market, which, practically is that yesterday's reduction in the Government minimum is a distinct admission that they are unable to hold out longer without selling, and have therefore had to accept the market price for their bills.

No other interpretation of the movement is possible, as the obstinacy with which they adhered to 1s. 8d. when 1s. 7¾d. was about the level of the rupee, showed most unmistakably that nothing short of absolute necessity would compel them to meet the market, and now that the necessity is apparent, buyers will know better how to regulate their biddings. Low exchange up to the end of the year may now be considered as assured, nor can we, with low values current for produce of all descriptions, see any probability of high rates throughout the season.

Closing rates for demand drafts at sight bills have rather smaller of late, and prices have accordingly been a trifle firmer. No. 1 Soft White we quote at Rs. 31½ to Rs. 32, No. 2 Rs. 30 to Rs. 30½, Soft Red Rs. 27 to Rs. 28, Hard Red Rs. 25 to Rs. 26 per candy.

SEEDS.—*Linseed* continues in large supply, and for ready stuff the price has gone back to Rs. 5-7 per cwt. *Rapeseed* on the spot is very scarce, and any small parcels of Guzerat are picked up at Rs. 7-7 per cwt., whilst New Crop for April-May delivery has advanced to Rs. 6-14. In *Gingelly* a fair extent of business is passing at Rs. 32 to Rs. 35½ per candy, according to quality.

PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

Sovereigns, each	Rs. 12-2-6
Carolas	" 235
Mexican Dollars	" 223
Five-Franc Pieces	" 224
Bar Silver, 17 to 17½ betterness	106-7 to 106-11
Gold Leaf	" 19-3
Bar Gold, 10 ors. English, 100 touch	" 19-8-9
Australian Gold, 100 touch	" 19-7
Bombay Bar Gold, 100 touch	" 19-6-3
Pekin Gold Bars	" 19

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE barque Evelyn, 1,178 tons, Captain T. Stevenson, arrived in harbour yesterday from Newport (12th Aug.), with a cargo of 1,505 tons coals. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. Edward Bates and Co.

THE steamer Columbian, 1,401 tons, Captain G. J. W. Baldwin, arrived in harbour on the 22nd instant from Jeddah (7th Nov.), with a cargo of 55 bundles specie and 60 packages merchandise and 915 pilgrims.

THE steamer Arrow, 130 tons, Captain C. J. O. Ringham, arrived in harbour yesterday from Coast and Cutch, with one bundle specie and 110 deck passengers. She will sail to-day for the same ports with a general cargo and 75 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Ellora, 1,513 tons, Captain D. Stuart sailed yesterday for Coast and Calcutta, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mrs. and three Missess. Moore, Lieut. C. G. Matsan, Miss S. Joseph, Surg. Major R. P. Furgu-son, Captain H. W. King, Mr. H. Atzmuell, and 14 deck.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Kangra 1,479 tons, Captain J. Smith, will sail to-day for Persian Gulf via Kurrachee, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Col. and Mrs. Berkeley and party, Surg. Finnigan, Mr. Dallaporta, Mr. R. S. Jobard, Mr. L. F. D. Souza, one Commanding Officer, two Hospital Assistants, and 64 deck.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.	Vessels.	Commander.	From
22	Columbian (s)	Baldwin	Jeddah, Nov. 7.
23	Arrow (s)	Hingheim	Mandvee, Nov. 20.
	Evelyn	Stevenson	Newport, Aug. 12.

DEPARTURES.

Nov.	Vessels.	Commander	Destination.
23	Adjutant (s)	Ferguson	Hull.
	Pehlwan (s)	Nacoda	Bhownuggur.
	Decoy (s)	Chapman	Rangoon.
	Ellora (s)	Stuart	Calcutta.

The steamer Kangra, Smith, to Persian Gulf via Kurrachee, obtained her port clearence yesterday.
Steamer Arrow, Ringheim for Cutch and Coast.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—
Steamer Goa, to London via Kattywar Coast and Kurrachee.
Steamer King Arthur, to Persian Gulf via Kurrachee.
Steamer Columbian, to Jeddah, &c.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.
19 Bay of Bengal ....McCann ....Liverpool, July 20.
Merchantman ....Mouriyan ...Muscat, Oct. 11.

DEPARTURES.

Nov. 19.—Steamers Duke of Buccleuch and Congo, Ship Panmuir, Moultan and Dunsiaig, Brig Catherine.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.
21 D. Sutherland(s) .. .. Calcutta.

Nov. DEPARTURES.
20 Ethiopia (s) .... Bombay.

DAILY IMPORTS.—NOVEMBER 22.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

California (s)—2,255 bundles hoop iron, Booth and Co.

FROM LONDON.

Goa (s)—7 cases printing ink, Abdoolhoosein Essoofbhoy ; 75 cases whiskey and 2 casks portwine, Dajeebhoy Dadabhoy ; 2 hogsheads brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee ; 10 cases cod liver oil and 19 cases medicine of sorts, Heerjee Mooljee and Co ; 4 cases confection ry, Esmailjee Abdool Hoosein.
Marina (s)—1 hogshead brandy, D. Nowrangjee.
Mirzapore (s)—100 cases pale ale, Ewart, Latham and Co ; 203 c sks wire nails, Abdoolcadur Haoutbhoy ; 880 barrels cement, Ewart, Latham and Co.

FROM MARSEILLES.

Mirzapore (s)—12 cases tobacco, D. Macropolo.

FROM GENOA.

China (s)—4 cases musical instruments, Soundy and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—NOVEMBER 22.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

British King (s)—100 cwts cotton yarn, Jetha Gangjee ; 98 cwts coir yarn, Owen and Okell ; 187½ cwts myrabalams, Dewjee Nanjee ; 2,001 cwts linseed, Aldridge, Salmon and Co ; 800 cwts wheat, Vulubha Hunchoo ; 246 cwts myrabolams and 37 bales wool, Goculdass J thany ; 22 bales wool and 9 bales rags, Dewjee Vussonjee ; 100 bales rags, D. K. Dadysett, Co ; 100 bales wool, Goculdass Toolsidass ; 50 ba es cotton, Gaddum and Co ; 90 bales cotton, Eswardass Custoorchund ; 103 bales cotton, Doongersey Jewjee.
Clan Ranald (s)—1,000 cwts bones, Peerbhoy Damjee.
California (s)—105 cwts wet-date-, Panachund Anundjee 200 cwts bung, Nuzerally Purdhan ; 3,300 cwts wheat Wallace and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Cathay (s)—14 boxes indigo, Volkart Brothers ; 4 boxes, indigo, Ewart, Latham and Co.

FOR DUNKIRK.

Miranda (s)—700 cwts. horns, Geo. Lockhart and Co ; 8,025 cwts cotton seed, Finlay Muir and Co ; 198 cwts; poppyseed and 150 bales cotton, E. Spinner and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Cathay (s)—6 cases indigo, Ewart, Latham and Co ; 19 cases indigo, Volkart Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Cathay (s), 1 case indigo, Volkart Brothers.

FOR MARSEILLES.

China (s)—11,403 cwts wheat and 3,672½ cwts, gingelly seed, Lang Moir and Co.
Hatfield (s)—3000 cwts, wheat, F. Masotti and Co.
Hart opool (s)—40 cwts wheat and 1,971 cwts gingellyseed, Dewjee Bhanjee, 504 cwts gingellyseed, Peel, Cassels and Co.
Rhodera (s)—1,052 cwts wheat, P. Chrystal and Co.
Cochin (s)—20 cwts horns and 3,000 cwts mowraflowers, L. Singer and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Hartlepool (s)—985½ cwts gingellyseed, R. Lupi and Co ; 8 bales skins, Jamal Ladoo.

FOR HULL.

Adjutant (s)—2,000 cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Ellora (s)—50 bales cotton, Glade and Co ; 40 bales cotton, Ramjeedass Luckmedass.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Geelong (s)—14 cwts cloves, Hajee Abdoola Esmail and Co ; 61 bales twist, the National S. and W. Co ; 66 bales twist, Framjee Rustomjee Papa.

FOR HONGKONG.

Geelong (s)—2 cases cochineal and 15½ cwts raising, Esas Sairy—skinary Annuiuckenund ; 7 bales cotton, Goolzee Singany ; 75 bales twist Essabin Khulifa ; 10 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co ; 34 bales twist Framjee Rustamjee Papa ; 75 twist, Kessowjee Jadowjee.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—NOVEMBER 21.

Willoughby, Col., Staff Corps, on leave.

NOVEMBER 22.

Auchinleck, Major, R. A., on duty, from Tongoo.
Kemp, Lieut., R. A., on duty, from Rawal Pindee.
Barnes, Lieut., Comst. Dept., on leave, from Poona.
Walker, Col., Staff Corps, on leave, from Madras.
Phelps, Col., Comsy. Genl., on duty, from Aligaum.

NOVEMBER 23.

Cox, Major, 33rd Madras N. I., on leave, from Jubbulpore.
Burnett, Capt., S. Yorkshire, on leave, from Bareilly.
Ashfield, Capt., Staff Corps, on leave, from Mhow.

DEPARTURES.—NOVEMBER 21.

Watson, Major, Worcestershire, on leave, to Kurrachee.

NOVEMBER 22.

Bremner, Lieut., R. Manchester, on duty, to Bangalore.

NOVEMBER 23.

Saulez, Lieut., 16th Bombay N. I., from leave, to Poona.
Coles, Major, 9th Bombay N.I., on duty, to Poona.
Beatson, Col., Madras Pol. Dept., to join, to Jacobabad.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut.-Col. Comdt. W. S. HEWETT, B. V. R. C.

Bombay, November 22.

The Regiment will parade under the Commandant on Saturday next, the 25th inst. Fall in at the Town Hall at 4·30 p. m. sharp (Bombay time). Red uniform, arms, accoutrements and helmets to be worn. Members who are at the tram terminus at Byculla, Grant-road, Girgaum and Colaba at 4·p.m. and those met on the road will be provided with tickets. Members who defray their own tram expenses can have the amount refunded by applying for the same after parade. This being the last Saturday's parade of the month all members are expected to attend. Those who cannot attend should apply for leave through the Captains of their Companies as ordered for the annual inspection made.

The following members having joined are taken on the strength of the Corps from this date and posted to D. Company, viz :—Vols. A. D. McDonald and J. B. Manning.

By order,
A. W. PROUDFOOT,
Capt. and Adjt., B. V. R. C.

BOMBAY GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

The furlough to Europe for two years on private affairs granted to Inspg. Vety. Surg. J. H. B. Hallen by Genl. Order, dated 15th Aug., is cancelled at his own request.

Store Serjt. (Actg. Sub-Condr.) James Head to be Sub-Condr., in succession to Sub-Condr.) Actg. Condr) Henry Ward, deceased. To bear date the 4th Nov. 1882.

The services of Surg. H. P. Dimmock are placed temporarily at the disposal of Govt in the Civil Dept.

Col. M. Willoughby, Secy. to Govt, Mil., Marine and Ecclesiastical Depts., having returned from the general leave granted him in G. G. O. dated 16th Oct. and resumed charge of his duties this day before office hours, the services of Col. B. H. Pottinger, R. A., are replaced at the disposal of H. E. the C-in-C.

The undermentioned officers have been permitted by the Secy. of State for India to return to duty :—
Lieut. A. M. Monteith, S. C., and Lieut.-Col. A. Doig, S. C.

The undermentioned officers have been granted by the Secy. of State for India extensions of leave for the periods specified :—
Capt. H. E. Pemdon, S. C., six months, private affairs. Major J. Phillips, S. C., six months, medl. certificate, and Major J. S. Iredell, S. C., six months, medical certificate.
The undermentioned officers have been permitted by the Secy. of State for India to return to duty :—
Col. H E. Hancock, R.E., Surg.-Major S. B. Haliday, and Major A. L. McNair, S.C.
The undermentioned officers have been granted by the Secy. of State for India extensions of leave for the periods specified :—
Lieut. John Monteith, S.C., three months, urgent private affairs, without pay, and Capt. E. C. Keilie, S.C., ninety days, medical certificate.
The undermentioned Warrant officer has been allowed by the Secy. of State for India to retire from the service :—
Condr. G. Ives, Ord. Dept., 21st Sept. 1882
The following Native promotion is made, with effect from the 6th Nov. 1882 :—
Corps of Store Lascars.—1st Tindal Rajenna Curradee to be Sirdar, vice Assenna Sydoo, deceased.
Major H.M. Burgess, R.A., whose tenure of appointment as 2nd Class Comsy. of Ord. expires on the 2nd Dec. next, is granted an extension up to the 4th April 1883.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Mr. Thomas Maclurcan, 3rd. Asst. Port Officer, is appointed a Member of the Board of Examiners for the Port of Bombay, for granting Certificates of Competency to Masters and Mates of the Mercantile Marine.

CIVIL APPOINTMENTS, &c.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Mr. F. H. Warden, Actg. 3rd Asst. to the Pol. Agent in Kathiawar, is granted examination leave from the 14th to the 18th ult. both days inclusive, in addition to the two days' examination leave from the 2nd idem granted to him in Govt. Notification, dated the 10th Oct. 1882.

Mr. Dadabhai Hormasji, Asst. Pol. Agent, Rewa Kantha, was granted examination leave from 4th to 18th ult., both days inclusive, to appear for the Lower Standard Examination held at Poona during last month.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Mr. Ramchandra Wamon Kulkarni, residing at Rahuri, is appointed to be a Conciliator under the Deccan Agriculturists' Relief Act, for the Rahuri Taluka of the Ahmednagar District, vice A'zam Trimbak Raghunath resigned.

Mr. G. Druitt is appointed to be Asst. Judge and Sessions Judge at Ratnagiri.

A'zam Tolaram valad Kawarsing, Head Munshi of Taluka Labdarya in the Dist. of Shikarpur, is appointed to be a Magistrate of the 3rd Class in that Dist.

Mr. Murij Mal acted as Govt. Pleader and Public Prosecutor at Hyderabad from 23rd May to 1st July.

Mr. Murij Mal acted as Govt. Pleader and Public Prosecutor in the Shikarpur District from 21st Aug.

Rao Bhahadur Narayan Ganesh Deshpande, Magistrate, 1st Class, in the Dist. of Ahmednagar, acted as Cantonment Magte., Ahmednagar, in addition to his own duties, from 10th Sept. to 11th Oct.

The undermentioned officer passed an examination in Gujarati according to the Higher Standard on the 11th ult :—Mr. L. H. Spence, Police Probationer.

The Govr. in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. D. C. Johnstone, Magistrate of the 1st Class in the Dist. of Belgaum, to be a visitor of the Dist. Jail at Belgaum.

Lieut.-Col. W. T. Brown, Actg. Supdt. of Police, B. B. and C. I. R., is allowed an extension for sixteen days of the privilege leave granted to him in Govt. Notification, dated 10th inst.

Messrs. Basil Lang and F. L. Latham respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of Advocate-Genl. on 17th inst.

Mr. W. H. Crowe and Sir W. Wedderburn, Bart., respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of Judge and Sessions Judge of Poona and Agent for Sirdars in the Deccan on 7th inst.

Mr. Jagannath Sakharam has been appointed substantive *pro tem.* Clerk of the 2nd class Subordinate Judge's Court at Broach in the Surat dist., during the absence of Mr Jagonnath Madavhram on leave, or until further orders.

Mr. W. H. F. Bolton, Actg. Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Karachi, acted as Cantonment Magte. at Karachi, in addition to his own duties, from 26th April to 5th Aug.

Mr. Moroji Dashath is appointed to act as Presidency Magte. during the absence of Mr. P. Ryan, or till further orders. Mr. Moroji Cashinath received charge of his office on 17th inst.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

H. E. the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments during the absence of Mr. Samuel Cooke, or until further orders :—
Rao Bahadur Daji Nilkant Nazarkar to act as Professor of Chemistry and Geology in the College of Science, Poona, and Khan Bahadur Bomanji Sorabji, L. C. E., Assoc. M. Inst. C. E., to act as Professor of Mathematics and Civil Engineering in the same College.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Mr. R. A. Leslie Moore, appointed by Her Majesty's Secy. of State for India a Member of H. M.'s Covenanted Civil Service on the Bombay Establt. reported his arrival on 7th Nov., and has been placed under the orders of the Collr. of Poona.

The permission granted to Mr. A. E. Woodburn, C.S., by H. M's Secy of State for India to return to duty within the period of his leave has been cancelled, and he has been allowed by the Secy. of State an extension of leave for six months on sick certificate.

Mr. W. E. Waite, Asst. Supt., Gujarat Revenue Survey, has been allowed by H. M's Secy. of State for India an extension of leave for three months on sick certificate.

Mr. K. R. Bomanji, is appointed as a probationer under the Native Civil Service Ruler, to be an Asst. to the Collr and Mag. of Broach.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Mr. K. R. Bomanji is appointed a probationer under the Native C. S. Rules.

Surg-Genl B. Beatty, A B., M.D., F.R.C.S., Surg-Genl with the Govt. of Bombay, was allowed privilege leave of absence for one month and eight days commencing from 10th Oct.

The appointments of Depy. Surgs-Genl J. Lumsdaine and T. G. Hewlett, C.I.E., to act as Surg-Genl with the Govt. of Bombay and Sany. Commissioner respectively, notified in the Bombay Government Gazette, dated 12th Oct. to have effect during the absence of Surg. Genl. Beatty on privilege leave.

Surg-Major W. McConaghy, M. D., L.R.C.S.I., to be Civil Surg, Karwar, vice Surg-Major J. Davies, retired, pending to act as Civil Surg. Ahmedabad during the absence of Surg-Major R. H. Batty, or until further orders.

Surg. H. P. Dimmock to act as Civil Surg, Shikarpur, during the absence of Surg J. C. H. Peacocke, or until further orders.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

Mr. William Allen delivered over and Mr. P. H. Dastur received charge of the office of the Dist. Depy. Collr., Kaira Khanda, on the 13th Nov.

Rao Saheb Trimbak Damodhar to be Probationary Fifth Grade Head Acct., Ahmedabad.

Rao Saheb Narayan Janardan to be Probationary 4th Grade Head Acct. at Alibag, Kolaba.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

Mr. G. W. Colgrave, Asst. Supdt. of Police, Khandesh, is granted fifteen days' privilege leave from 27th Nov.

BY THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER.

Depy. Surgs.-Genl. T. G. Hewlett, C. I. E., and John Lumsdaine respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of the Sany. Comsr. for the Govt. of Bombay, on 17th inst.

BY THE SURVEY AND SETTLEMENT COMMISSIONER.

Mr. W. G. Harrison and Major C. W. Godfrey respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of the Supdt., Ratnagiri Revenue Survey, on the 18th inst.

Mr. G. H. Hampton, Asst. Supdt., Southern Maratha Country Survey, joined the Poona and Nasik Survey, and assumed charge of his duties on 14th Nov.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

H. E. the Rt. Hon'ble. the Govr. of Bombay has been pleased, in accordance with the provisions of Section 29 of "The Indian Councils Act, 1861," to nominate F. L. Latham, Esq., M. A., Acting Advocate Genl., to be an Additional Member of H. E.'s Council for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations only.

PUNJAB GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(Punjab Government Gazette.)

HOME DEPARTMENT.

His Honor the Lieut.-Govr. is pleased to make the following promotions from 26th Oct. :—
Mr. T. J. C. Plowden, C.I.E., Asst. Commr. 2nd Class, to be Assist. Commr., 1st Class.
Mr. M. L. Hames, Asst. Commr. 3rd Class, to be Asst. Commr., 2nd Class.
Mr. W. H. Merk, C.S., reported his arrival at Lahore on 11th Nov.
Col. E. P. Gurdon, Depy. Commr., is appointed to officiate temporarily as Commr. and Supdt., Lahore Div. ; Col. Gurdon assumed charge of his duties on the 2nd Nov. relieving Mr. R. T. Burney, appointed an Additional Judge, Chief Court, Punjab.
Mr. G. Walker, Asst. Commr., Mardan, has obtained privilege leave of absence for 3 months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The following Asst. Engrs. from Cooper's Hill College are posted to the Irrigation Branch, Punjab.
Mr. R. Woolcombe, Mr. G. H. Le Maistre, Mr. J. K. E. Verschoyle, Mr. C. J. O'Brien, Mr. W. E. P. Handcock, and Mr. F. W. Maunsell, 2nd Grade ; Mr. A. Younghusband, 3rd Grade.

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HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR will go to the SECRETARIAT, Bombay, on SATURDAY, MONDAY, and WEDNESDAY, the 25th, 27th, and 29th instant, for the despatch of PUBLIC business. His Excellency will also be at the SECRETARIAT on FRIDAY, the 24th, for the despatch of URGENT business only.

G. H. R. HART,
Private Secy. to H. E. the Governor.
Bella Vista, Mahableshwar, 21st Nov. 1882.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE.

[THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

MARRIAGE.

CORNISH—BEAUCHAMP—November 18, at Calcutta, Edwin Stentiford Cornish, of Cachar, and Georgina, Le Sueur, second daughter of George Clement Beauchamp, of St. Heliers, Jersey, Channel Islands.

DEATHS.

BREFFIT—November 18, at Calcutta, Reginal Breffit, aged 22 years.
STATEN—November 15, at Agra, Mr. William Staten, late partner in the firm of Messrs. Laurie and Staten, of Allahabad, Agra, and Simla.

The Bombay Gazette

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1882.

IF one were to seek for an explanation of the desire for local self-government in India, it would be found in the inordinate extension of the province of State agency in all directions, and the extreme contraction of private enterprise and private initiative. Everything is for the people, nothing by the people. The theory seems to be that the State alone is competent to prescribe rules for the regulation of native society ; that it is the business of the State to command and of the people simply to obey. And the State—that is, the bureaucracy which here represents the State—certainly often acts as though it were entirely independent of native sympathy or support. Whatever may be thought of these principles, it is only fair to state that the administrative machine in this Presidency is about as skilful a machine as could well be devised. The Revenue Survey System, the Public Works Department, the Municipal and Local Fund System, the Department of Public Instruction, the Sanitary and Vaccination Department, are each and all of them centralised bureaucratic machines for carrying out certain objects, more or less desirable, according to the standard of a highly civilised Western power, with the maximum of efficiency and the minimum regard for the tastes, feelings, and prejudices of a backward society, which is supposed to be unfit to determine what is best for itself. The aggregate system is, of course, a system of pure and unmitigated paternal despotism which descends into the minutest details of native life, even from the appointment of a sweeper up to the revenue settlement of a province. This stifling, crushing, overwhelming bureaucratic influence has been more or less stereotyped by modern legal enactments framed by Legislative Councils in which the same autocratic element is predominant ; and the whole system administered by the local Government is notoriously one of the most rigid and compulsory character. This régime has, fortunately for the Empire, been to some extent tempered—(1) by the existence of public courts of justice ; (2) by a free press. These institutions may be regarded as the lungs of a diseased body-politic which has, under the influences described, been simply smitten with paralysis—being utterly unable now to move or act alone. The cure appears to us to consist in a restoration of the natural functions, and can be very simply effected by merely allowing the patient the natural use of his own limbs. The gradual substitution of private enterprise and private initiative for State agency is the grand desideratum, the goal towards which all the efforts of statesmen should now be directed.

The vital problem which has yet to be solved by officials of all ranks, from the Governor-in-Council downwards, is to determine what are the true and legitimate functions of the State ; how to promote popular education in the widest sense ; how best to stimulate healthy national progress and healthy national life. The main function of a Government like our own should be to keep the peace, and to foster and protect all innocent and healthy developments of native and indigenous life. Native society should be allowed, as far as possible, to develop itself according to its own natural genius and idiosyncracy. We must beware of forcing, as we have hitherto been too apt to force, exotic systems on an unwilling or passive native society. If we honestly take the people into counsel, we shall then, and only then, be in a position to learn how far and within what limits Western science can be usefully assimilated, what should be accepted, and what rejected. The wisest of us are profoundly ignorant of the real conditions and limitations surrounding the whole problem of what we call civilising India. Success can only be attained by a temper of humility and good sense; in short, of teachableness. We cannot fail to commit, as we have already committed, inconceivable blunders if we affect systematically to ignore native opinion and native prejudice ; and surely the gigantic problem of adapting the science of the West to suit the wants of modern Hindustan cannot possibly be solved in the arbitrary despotic fashion which is now the rule.

Assuming this description of the case to be fairly accurately stated, wherein lies the difficulty of effecting a change ? The main difficulty, we take it, is the familiar difficulty of effecting a necessary reduction of expenditure, and of substituting for the present a less costly style of administration. That the present régime is overwhelmingly costly there can, we think, be no doubt. A despotic Government like our own has no sufficient reason to induce it to practise economy, and real economy will never be practised until some power be given into the hands of those who supply the ways and means. It is possible that time will be required to educate popular administrators to combine efficiency with economy, but the combination is certainly attainable. The ordinary official method is to determine beforehand what schemes are to be carried out, and to trust to the fiscal screw to raise whatever sum is necessary. What with revenue enhancements for the multitude, and income and license taxes always in reserve, the fiscal screw is being chronically turned, and it is difficult to see what practical limit can be placed to the financial necessities of the Government so long as it is a cardinal feature of their policy to trust to official initiative for everything. The various departments of the State are, like the daughters of the horse-leech, continually crying, "Give, give." The Government is utterly unable to withstand the pressure, and the cost of State administration is constantly on the increase. Financial pressure leads, it cannot fail to lead, to all sorts of evils and abuses, and overwhelming fiscal necessity has a well-understood tendency to crush out of the rulers all bowels of mercy, kindness, and sympathy. Signs of an unduly jealous assertion of State rights may perhaps be detected in the notorious discouragement of remissions in this Presidency ; in the harsh application of harsh rules, of which many instances are notorious ; in a disposition to exact the State dues to the utmost, regardless of individual suffering; and in the exercise of a somewhat narrow and illiberal policy in cases where private rights conflict with those of the State. In Lord Ripon's new scheme there is good ground for hope that the turning point has at length been reached, and that private initiative and private enterprise may be gradually substituted for State agency, the abuses and inconveniences of which are easy to perceive. The ideal towards which we should steadily work would be something like this : The decentralization scheme must be pushed very much further than has yet entered into official imagination, and districts or groups of districts must be given in time complete administrative autonomy and be ultimately made responsible for the provision of their whole administrative wants. A beginning might be made with ordinary public works, and we would at once make each district separately responsible for its own works. If the district cannot afford magnificent schemes, let it borrow, or wait till it can afford them. Sternly repress the outrageous financial extravagance of irresponsible administrators, whose ruling idea is to make a name for themselves and to leave their mark behind them. Above all, leave the people alone, and do not worry them overmuch. Thus may we arrive at the true ideal of a Dharam Raj, the Utopia of Hindustan.

REUTER telegraphs that M. Soleillet, the French traveller, has written a letter to a French Deputy, stating that he has obtained a "concession" of territory in the Bay of Tajurrah in the Gulf of Aden. It is the misfortune of French enterprise to be frequently pushed to the verge of absurdity, before achieving the substantial benefits which result from the exercise of patience and prudence. We referred yesterday to the mania for establishing "protectorates" in the four quarters of the globe which had recently taken possession of the French nation. Although French Ministers and public men have extended indiscreet patronage to adventurers at one time or another, it would be unfair to suppose that they will necessarily support the proceedings of M. Soleillet. This gentleman, if we mistake not, is the same who endeavoured to involve his countrymen in a hare-brained scheme for the "colonization" of the desert of Sahara. The French Chamber, on the advice of M. de Freycinet, were foolish enough to vote a considerable sum of money towards "prospecting" for a railway over this region. Nothing more has ever been heard of the scheme, so we suppose M. Soleillet has transferred his attentions from Africa to Arabia. Of course, this "concession" of his cannot be treated seriously. So many interests are concerned in the Arabian littoral of the Gulf of Aden, that no European nation would care to encounter the difficulties likely to arise from any attempt to obtain a settlement there, except some very practical result were to be derived from it. A bay on the southern cost of Arabia is not so desirable a possession that any Power would incur much trouble or expense to gain it. Aden, as we pointed out last week, costs India fifteen lakhs per annum, and yet a London paper complained that it was scandalously neglected. For a Power that owns two empires and is compelled to maintain a line of communications, Aden may be worth its cost, but to France a station on that sterile coast would be worse than useless. France, we admit, has not shown much wisdom in her "Colonial" policy, but we hardly think that even the present Chamber will spend money over M. Soleillet and his crazy projects.

A TELEGRAM has been received here from Busreh to the effect that Bombay is pronounced an infected port, and that quarantine on arrivals in Busreh from Bombay has been re-imposed. This means that steamers from Bombay must discharge their cargoes, and land their passengers, ten miles below Busreh, to enable the Turkish officials to levy a heavy black-mail both on goods and passengers. Nominally the goods and passengers are fumigated at the quarantine ground, but practically they are not, the sole object being to rob the merchants and passengers by the levy of fees. After vessels have discharged their cargoes and passengers at the quarantine ground they are permitted to proceed up to Busreh, and free intercourse is allowed between the ship and shore ; and in fact as soon as the steamers reach the quarantine ground they are boarded by people from Busreh, and no restriction is placed on these people returning to the town. It is intolerable that the goods and passenger trade between Bombay and Busreh should be so harassed, as it regularly is, by the vexatious quarantine rules that are imposed by the Turkish officials solely with the view of robbing the public ; and the Indian Government should put their foot down decisively, as they are quite able to do, and insist on the abolition of this annual levy of black-mail.

LESSONS FROM TEL-EL-KEBIR.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

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The Viceroy, at 10 o'clock, proceeded to Budki, to inspect the superway constructed to convey the river over the canal. There are two of these extraordinary works.

At 1 o'clock the Viceroy received state visits from native Rajahs and Chiefs, returning them between half-past four and half-past five.

His Excellency gave an official dinner at 8 o'clock and a conversazione at half-past 9 o'clock. At ten he saw the Katak dance performed by hill tribesmen of Kulu; and a grand display of fireworks half an hour later brought the day's proceedings to a close.

It is bitterly cold at night and very warm in the day-time.

THE SIRHIND CANAL.

The following is a summary of the speech which Colonel Home's will deliver to-morrow at the opening of the Sirhind Canal:—We are assembled to open one of the largest canals in the world, the Sirhind Canal, the second large work of the kind, undertaken in the Punjab since the province came under the British rule, the other being the Bari Doab Canal, which was commenced immediately after the annexation of the province twenty-three year's ago, irrigating a considerable area of country lying between the Ravi and Sutlej rivers, and increasing by its influence the wealth and prosperity of Lahore, Amritsar, and other cities. It is believed that the Sirhind Canal will distribute equal benefits to the surrounding country, which hitherto, though the soil is fertile, derived from its peculiar geographical position, little advantage from the periodical rains. The speaker then referred to the origin of the scheme recommended by General Baker forty-one years ago, the execution of which was delayed for unavoidable reasons. The next step towards carrying out the scheme was an investigation in 1856 by the late Colonel (then Lieutenant) Dyers, who reported the practicability of suggesting Doraha as the point of delivery of the water over the surface of the country. The Mutiny prevented immediate action, and fiscal obstacles further protracted the commencement of the work, even when the British Government assumed rule in 1860. The Rajah of Puttiala determined to irrigate his territory with Sutlej water, and applied for the services of British officers. Crofton, the officer deputed, whose name would ever be associated with later investigations, leading to the construction of the present canal, submitted his scheme, which was to irrigate British territory also; but the Governor-General found he was unable to sanction the project, as he was of opinion that the waters of the river which could be available for irrigation to British territory in its immediate vicinity should not be permanently alienated. In 1867, however, the Government found itself in a position to undertake large works of permanent utility, and orders were issued to take up the project on wide principles, and irrigate the country between the Guggur and Sutlej rivers, irrespective of territories and boundaries, and the Rajahs of Nabha and Jhind were invited to co-operate with the Government. They eagerly agreed to contribute towards the cost of the trunk line and canal, to defray the entire cost of branches designed for their special benefit and use. This resulted in a new project in 1868 and an estimate for the main line in 1869. The work was commenced that year, but active operations from 1871. Colonel Home then referred to the magnitude of the work, the difficulties overcome, the perseverence of the officials, and the feeling of satisfaction when they were able to report the work finished on the 1st July of the present year. He referred to the assistance ungrudgingly given by the Chief[illegible] round, and the employment of jail labour[illegible] varied at times from fourteen to twenty-[illegible] men, whose discipline was admi[illegible]-half fare. was invaluable. The length o[illegible] be delivered miles, of which 177 miles are [illegible] with locks for boat traffic. Two [illegible] tributary channels have been [illegible] when, when the work is complete, [illegible] of two thousand five hundred miles of [illegible] be maintained, and this will irrigate 522[illegible] of British and 261 acres of native territo[illegible] at a cost of four hundred and seven lakhs of rupees. The speaker will then ask the Viceroy to open the canal.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE TRIAL OF ARABI.

CAIRO, Nov. 22.

The Egyptian Government leaves it to the British Government to decide whether the evidence now before the Court criminates Arabi in the massacres and burnings at Alexandria.

HEALTH OF THE BRITISH IN EGYPT.

Much sickness still continues among the British troops in Egypt, 12 per cent. of the entire force being laid up.

OPENING OF THE ITALIAN PARLIAMENT.

ROME, Nov. 22.

The Italian Parliament was opened to-day by the King, who in his speech insisted on a pacific policy and internal reforms.

MORE FRENCH PROTECTORATES.

PARIS, Nov. 22.

M. Soleillet, the traveller, has written a letter to a French Deputy, stating that the Sultan of Laita has ceded to him the Bay of Tajurrah in the Gulf of Aden.

THE S. S. ISCHIA ASHORE.

LONDON, Nov. 22.

The Anchor Line s. s. Ischia has run ashore at Perim.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

PLYMOUTH, Nov. 22.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Pekin arrived at Plymouth this evening.

LONDON, Nov. 22.

The Anchor Line steamer Nubia left here for Bombay on the 21st instant.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Agra left here for Kurrachee, Bombay, and Malabar Coast this afternoon.

PORT SAID, Nov. 22.

The B. I. S. N. Co's. steamer Rochampton left here on the 21st instant.

The s. s. Nubia left Liverpool for Bombay on the 21st instant.

LONDON, Nov. 22.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed quiet. Surats unchanged.

The London Cotton market has been steady.

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The Manchester market has been firm.	
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	82½
4½ per cent. do.	97¼
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His Excellency the Governor, who arrives here to-day from Mahableshwar, will preside at the lecture to be delivered by the Rev. Lyle Rivington to-night on "Teleology, or Design in Nature," in the Framjee Cowasjee Institute, on Saturday evening.

A message from Lord Dufferin, dated Therapia, October 24, to H. E. the Governor of Bombay, states:—"I have the honour to inform your Excellency that the influx of Mecca pilgrims having now ceased, the Board of Health has resolved to break up, for this season, its quarantine establishment at Camaran."

We learn that the Anchor Line steamer Ischia has gone ashore in the Red Sea. The Ischia is a steamer of 2,012 tons, and is commanded by Captain J. McDonald. She left Bombay for Liverpool with a general cargo on the 9th inst.

Mr. R. A. Leslie Moore, who has just come out to join the Bombay Civil Service, is posted to Poona.

The Government of Bengal have sanctioned the purchase by the Port Commissioners of the lands and docks of the Calcutta Docking Company.

Mr. T. H. Kavanagh, V. C., whose death at Gibraltar was announced the other day, is reported to have died at the house of Lord Napier of Magdala while on his way out to this country.

Having been promised, and having obtained, a more rapid carriage of the overland mails from Bombay, the Calcutta people are satisfied, but think the ordinary mail-trains should be run faster. The *Englishman* says:—The arrival of the last English mail in Calcutta, in forty-eight hours from [illegible] time of its

Mr. Colquhoun's account of his recent journey through the southern provinces of China is expected to be ready for publication in January. The book will be illustrated by some hundreds of photographs which include scenery, portraits of Mandarins, Chinese natives and aborigines, the interiors of houses, &c., as well as by sketches made by the author and by aboriginal drawings.

It is again announced from Rangoon that "reports from Mandalay encourage the hope that the treaty will be accepted."

A continuance of dacoities in and around Rangoon, the *Indian Daily News'* correspondent there telegraphs, is causing much uneasiness.

The committee appointed to inquire into the causes of the damage to the chests of Benares opium opened in Calcutta, and to suggest measures for prevention, completed their inquiry at Ghazipore and adjourned to Patna on Friday last. The decision arrived at has not yet been announced.

At the Criminal Sessions yesterday, before the Hon. Justice West, Private Francis Clark, of the 4th King's Own Regiment, stationed at Colaba, was charged with the murder of a comrade named Owen Kelly on the 9th November. The deceased and Clark, up to this time, had been great friends. On the evening of the 9th instant they had a few words, but it could hardly be called a quarrel. Shortly afterwards the prisoner got his rifle from his cot and deliberately shot the deceased as he was lying in bed. Clarke was sober at the time. The deceased, who was shot through the body, died the next morning. The cross-examination on the evidence, previously published in these columns, went to show that the prisoner was in the habit of taking a good deal of liquor, which had a very powerful effect upon him, so that he had to be restrained. When sober he was quiet and gave no particular trouble. Counsel for the defence raised the plea of insanity, and called evidence to show that the prisoner attempted to cut his throat at Baroda six months ago. He also argued that the prisoner had no motive for the deed, as deceased was a very great friend of his. The jury could not agree. Seven found the prisoner guilty of murder, and two found him guilty of the less serious charge of grievous hurt. The jury recommended the prisoner to mercy on the ground of his previous good character. The judge sentenced him to penal servitude for life.

A telegram from Peshawur, November 19, to the *Englishman*, says:—Colonel Chesney, of the Royal Engineers, Secretary to the Government of India, is here. It is said that the idea of making Peshawur a mere fortified outpost, and of withdrawing as many troops as are not required for the defence of this unhealthy station, is seriously engaging the attention of Government. Hence the presence of the distinguished Engineer in question.

The native cloth merchants of Bombay, we hear, have resolved to "boycott" the well-known house of Messrs. Ralli Brothers, their Association having decided unanimously that no further purchases shall be made from that house. The grievance of the native merchants, as we find it explained in a Gujerati paper, is that Messrs. Ralli Brothers, in defiance, as it is alleged, of an agreement or understanding that importing firms in Bombay would not dispose of their goods direct to dealers from up-country, but only to established dealers in Bombay, sold a quantity of cloth to a Marwadi merchant. Messrs. Ralli Brothers, we believe, deny the existence of any such agreement as that of which the native merchants desire to secure observance. The native firms are very wroth about the matter. They held a special meeting the other day, and the transaction in question having been registered in the name of a Bombay dealer, the Association fined him fifty rupees.

Apropos of the paper on Army Organization by Sir Frederick Roberts, the first half of which we publish to-day, a contemporary says:—"Another step has been taken by the home authorities to modify the 'Cardwell system.' We understand that, until the demobilization of the whole of the Army Reserve now serving with the colours has been effected, no short-service soldiers will be sent home from India, or at any rate none will be allowed to leave before next season. In the meantime it is highly probable that an opportunity will be offered to these men, or at least to very many of them, to re-engage for a further term of service with the colours. It will also be well to remember that, upon the recent return of the Reservists from active service, the War Office invited a considerable number to complete their 12 years' service in the ranks. Modifications such as these are of the highest importance, especially as they go to show that the recruiting crisis of 'big battalions of boys' have not been slow to recognise the weak points in their original scheme."

The *Englishman* thinks the Government should [illegible] much further in the matter of controlling the [illegible] drugs than they propose to do by the new [illegible] Bill. "The aim of the measure, like that [illegible] Act, is thus confined to affording [illegible] from the effects of carelessness in the [illegible] compounding of drugs to that class of the [illegible] population which gets itself doctored according to [illegible] European system. Adherents of the various systems of medicine will continue to be cured, or killed, without the supervision of the authorities as before. We are not prepared to say that in the existing state of Indian society a less partial measure would have been convenient. But it is obvious that these Acts deal only with a very small and insignificant branch of a very large and potent evil."

Another exhibition of lawlessness on the part of native soldiers is reported from Debrooghur, Assam, which reminds us of the outbreak at Kurrachee in July last, and of the disturbance in Bombay a year ago. On the 22nd October the concluding ceremony of the Doorga Poojah at Debrooghur was attended by a large number of the sepoys of the 43rd Bengal N. I., armed with formidable cudgels. An assault appears to have been committed by certain of the sepoys on some of the spectators, and, whether in consequence of any resentment shown by the crowd, or from what motive, we are uninformed, the affair resolved itself into an indiscriminate attack by the sepoys on the bystanders, among whom were a number of policemen and three Europeans. The crowd, numbers of whom were struck and more or less seriously hurt, were compelled to seek safety in flight, and the Europeans were chased a long way by the sepoys.

Inconvenience having been caused to persons returning to Bombay by sea from shooting expeditions on the other side of the harbour, through the detention of their guns by Customs officers stationed at the landing places in Bombay, whose duty it is to detain, pending inquiry, all fire-arms that may be landed without passes from the harbour, the Commissioner of Customs gives notice that arrangements have been made for the issue of Custom House passes by the Preventive officers on duty at the undermentioned places, viz.:—Apollo-bunder, Town-bunder, Carnac-bunder, Mazagon-bunder, and the Prince's Dock. These passes may be obtained without payment on application at the Customs Offices at the landers mentioned, and on production of the gun or guns to be passed before they are water-borne from Bombay. The passes must be delivered up to the Preventive officer at the bunder at which the guns are landed. General passes covering guns for a whole year may also be obtained on application to the Collector of Customs at the Custom House.

The chief features of the latest district Season Reports for the Bombay Presidency, which are brought down to the 21st inst., are that locusts are still in force in the Satara collectorate, where seven talukas continue to be troubled with the pest; they "still linger" in the Kalvan, Peint, and Egutpoora talukas of the Nasik district; have appeared in parts of the coast district of Kolaba, and in Belgaum, where, the Collector reports, they "did some damage to crops;" and are disappearing from Poona and Ahmednugger. Rabi sowing has been completed in most districts, and generally speaking the young crops promise well, but in Ahmednugger, Sholapore, Satara, Kaladgi, and Belgaum rain is badly wanted. In parts of the Panch Mahals gram and wheat have had to be resown, the seed first sown having been eaten away by insects. We regret to see that while cholera has almost completely died out in the districts chiefly affected by it during the last three or four months, it has appeared in several villages in Dharwar, where 70 cases and 23 deaths are reported. There is still a good deal of fever about, and some cattle-disease.

The prize-list and regulations of an Agricultural Exhibition which it is proposed to hold at Madras in February next are published in yesterday's *Bombay Government Gazette*. There are prizes, from Rs. 100 to Rs. 10, for various classes of horses, ponies, mules, asses, &c.; cattle; sheep and goats; poultry, rabbits, etc.; field produce; plantation and special produce; forest produce; dairy produce produced in India; manufactures made in India; machines, implements, tools, etc. Prizes are offered also:—Rs. 100 for an essay on water lifts for use in different parts of India; Rs. 100 for an essay on manurial substances—animal, vegetable, and mineral—procurable in India; Rs. 250 for an essay on the management of soils under coffee, or tea, or cinchona in the Madras Presidency; Rs. 500 for an essay on the utilization of irrigation water, in view to obtaining the largest returns with the least injury to the soil and least waste of water; and Rs. 200 for an essay on the best method of planting fuel plantations in India. The Secretary and Curator, Victoria and Albert Museum, will take charge of any exhibits which it may be proposed to send from Bombay, and will furnish any information on the subject that may be required.

It is said that the Catholic Bishop of Lahore, the Right Rev. Dr. P. Trot, O. C. [illegible]

that he was quite intoxicated, and unable to account for himself, was at Cawnpore. However, the jury must bear in mind that drunkenness was no plea.

The jury retired for 15 minutes, and on returning into Court they brought a verdict of guilty on one charge only, viz., that of the prisoner having dishonestly and fraudulently made or signed a cheque for Rs. 50, purporting to be signed by one R. Richardson, intending it to be believed that that document was made or signed by the said R. Richardson.

His Lordship, in addressing the prisoner, said the jury had rightly found him guilty on the one charge only. He was most willing to give the pleas advanced by prisoner every consideration, and would cause further enquiries to be made into the truth of those pleas.

To question put by His Lordship, first as to the injury to his head, prisoner said that he had received a severe blow on the forehead; that the mark of the wound was still visible; and that Apothecary Croydon, who attended him, could testify to the serious nature of the wound. Next, as to a reference to character, prisoner said he was a Roman Catholic; and as he has not attended to his religious duties for the past year, the Priest at Lucknow knew nothing about him. Major Lawrie, who has held command of the battery for only the past year, could not say much for or against him. However, prisoner was quite willing that a reference be made to both the Apothecary and to Major Lawrie.

His Lordship directed this to be done, and, pending a reply to the references, reserved sentence.

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 22.—The barometer continues to fall, except at a few stations in the Punjab. The decrease is greatest on the South Madras coast, in North Bengal, and the North-West Provinces; so that the gradients have increased over the Bay of Bengal. The depression has become more marked, and bad weather seems to be brewing off the north-east of Ceylon. The wind is northerly and north-easterly, and fresh. The weather is cloudless in the Punjab, North-West Provinces, the Central States, and Bombay; rather cloudy in Bengal; and overcast in Madras. Rain to-day:—Negapatam, 1½ inch; Madura, ½ inch.

BOMBAY SEASON REPORTS.

The following are the Bombay Presidency District Season Reports for the week ending 21st instant:—

Karachi.—River at Kotri on 17th, 6 feet 2 inches against 6 feet on same date last year. Fever in all talukas; cattle-disease in Ghorabari taluka. Wheat, red rice, and bajri in Karachi 24, 36 and 38, Sehwan 32, 48 and 56, Jati 20, 40 and 44 and Sakro 16, 36 and 48 respectively.

Shikarpur.—Reaping of kharif and sowing of rabi crops continue; early rabi crops looking well. Fever and cough general; cattle-disease in six talukas. Shikarpur rice 25, wheat 25 and jowari 60, Sukkur 24, 30 and 64, Larkhana 23, 35 and 63 pounds per rupee respectively.

Upper Sind Frontier.—Reaping kharif continues. Weather cold. Fever general. Wheat 29, bajri 53 jowari 80 and rice 23 pounds per rupee.

Ahmedabad.—Rabi sowing continues; other crops healthy. Fever in Dholka, Viramgám, Gogha and Parantij; cattle-disease caused in Sanand; cholera one death in the city. Bajri 34 and Wheat 29 pounds.

Panch Mahals.—Fever and small-pox amongst cattle. Resowings of gram and wheat in Jhalod consequent on the former sowings being eaten away by insects. Bajri 37 and maize 19 pounds per rupee.

Kaira.—Reaping of kharif crops completed in some talukas; sowing of rabi crops in progress. Slight fever in Kapadvanj, Nadiad and Thasra talukas. Wheat 31 and rice 31 pounds.

Broach.—Crops in excellent condition. Jowari 30, bajri 32 and rice 28 pounds. Fever continues.

Surat.—Standing crops healthy. Jowari 41½ and nagli 60 pounds.

Khandesh.—Kharif harvesting almost completed; rabi crops healthy. Ague in ten talukas and 3 pethas; cattle-disease in three talukas. Bajri 36 pounds. Cotton crops very good.

Nasik.—Cholera still lingering in Kalvan, Peint, and Igatpuri. Rabi sowing progressing. Wheat 25½, bajri 35 and rice 20½ pounds.

Colaba (Bombay).—Aonormal temperature 1° cool on 15th and 18th, 2° warm on 17th, 3° warm on 21st and nil on all other days. Vapour in air in defect of normal on 15th, afterwards normal. Wind normal.

Thana.—Kharif reaping nearly completed; rabi sowing commenced. Second sort rice 27 pounds. Fever throughout the district; small-pox in four talukas; cattle-disease in Salsette, Panvel and Karjat.

Colaba.—(Report for the week ending 20th instant.)—Small-pox in Alibag and fever in five talukas; cattle-disease slight in all talukas except Pen and Alibag. Reaping operations finished. Locusts have appeared in Roha, Mángaon and Mahad talukas. Rice second sort 32 pounds 30 tolas and tur dal second sort 22 pounds 25 tolas per rupee.

Ratnagiri.—Harik crops being harvested. Fever in three and cattle-disease in seven talukas. Prices unchanged.

Poona.—Sowing completed. Locusts disappearing. Bajri 43 and jowari 56 pounds; in Poona bajri 39 and jowari 48.

Ahmednagar.—Rain badly wanted. Rabi crops generally good except in some parts where they are withering. Cholera at Patoda in Jamkhed. Some locusts only in Kopargaon. Bajri maximum 66 pounds in Jamkhed, minimum 45 in Sangamner; jowari maximum 93 pounds in Jamkhed, minimum 45 in Sangamner.

Sholapur.—Crops suffering for want of rain. Jowari 70 pounds 37 tolas and bajri 57 pounds 3 tolas.

Satara.—Rabi crops generally doing well. Rain wanted. Locusts in Patan taluka decreasing in several talukas but increasing in Wai; flight towards west. Cholera disappeared. Bajri 47-36 and jowari 53-21.

Kaladji.—Kharif jowari and bajri reaping in progress; rabi crop suffering for want of rain. Slight cholera in Bagewadi and Badami. Jowari 96 and bajri 79 pounds.

Belgaum.—Standing crops good; reaping of kharif and sowing of rabi crops nearly completed; rain wanted for rabi crops in Parasgad, Gokak, and Athni talukas. Three deaths from cholera in Belgaum taluka. Locusts appeared in Chandgad Mahal and did some damage to crops. Jowari 70 and bajri 62 pounds.

Darwar.—Harvesting of early and sowing of late crops in progress. Slight cattle-disease in four talukas; cholera in 9 villages of Navalgund and 3 of Kon, 16 cases in all out of 55 in Navalgund and 4 out of 14 in Kon. Rice maximum 20 and jowari 56 pounds.

Kanara.—Rain at Karwar 31 cents, total 108·44 and Kumta 46 cents. Rice harvest completed in three talukas, continues in others; ragi harvest in two talukas; preparing ground for second crop in Karwar; sugarcane and garden produce healthy. Small-pox subsiding; cattle-disease in three talukas and fever in Karwar. Rice common in Karwar 15, in district average 13⅔ sers per rupee. Weather fair.

Rajkot.—Weather cold. General health fair; cholera continues in two villages of Navanagar, disappeared from Junagad and Rajkot talukas; fever in Porbandar and Bagasra. Bajri 28 and jowari 34 pounds.

Wadhwan.—Cholera five cases at Sawa under Paliyad, 3 fatal; fever abating. Cotton good. Bajri 29 and jowari 34 pounds.

Baroda.—Kharif harvesting and rabi sowing continue. Slight cholera in Amreli. Bajri 32½ and rice common 24½ pounds per rupee.

General Remarks.—Harvesting of kharif and sowing of rabi completed in some districts, and still in progress in the rest. Rabi crops want rain, want of rain in parts of Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Satara, Kaladgi, and Belgaum, elsewhere good. Locusts in parts of Nasik, Satara, and Kolaba. Fever and cattle-disease in some districts; slight cholera and small-pox in a few.

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Cathay, Capt. W. M. Robbie, will sail to-day for London with the European mails and the following passengers:—

For Brindisi.

Sir A. Christison.	Mr. H. Bradley.
Miss A. Christison.	Captain R. T. Stevens.
Dr. E. B. Brown.	Mr. James Walker.
Major R. E. Cox.	Mr. and Mrs. Barker.
Major and Mrs. Marshall.	Mr. W. P. Harrow.
Miss Cunningham.	Mr. J. M. Hunter.
Mr. F. G. Gibson.	Mr. H. P. Yeid.
Mr. Millington.	

For London.

Mdame Jager.	Mr. J. McNab.
Mr. H. G. Clifford.	Mr. A. Munro.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Willcox and 2 children.	Mr. and Mrs. Talbot.
Mr. W. E. Rowley.	Mr. F. H. Hammett.
Mr. Lugard.	Mr. R. Leslie.
Mr. P. L. Price.	Mr. Jesse Chauntler.

For Trieste.

Mr. George Godfrey.	Mr. William R. Martin.

For Venice.—Mr. H. Bryan.

For Aden.

Major E. Twemlow.	Mrs. Newzerling, 3 children, and infant.
Revd. C. A. Ledroy.	
Mr. Craggs and infant.	

For Malta.—Revd. A. C. Maitland.

The following passages have been engaged:—

The s. s. Kashgar, Capt. R. G. Murray, 1st Dec.

For Brindisi.

Capt. T. Hope. A gentleman.

For London.—Dr. J. Piethall.

For Venice.—Col. and Mrs. Willoughby.

The s. s. Gwalior, Captain M. de Horne, sailing on 8th Dec.

For Brindisi.—Col. C. Jameson.

PASSENGERS BY THE s. s. MANILLA.

The following passengers arrived per Italian mail-steamer Manilla, Captain A. Cruciani, yesterday:—From Southampton.—Mrs. Ada Hicks, Mrs. Rosa Pottinger and one infant, Mrs. Nellie Southey, Mrs. Mabel Southey, Mrs. Ethel Augustus, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Selfe, Mrs. Henrietta Hogg, Mr. Henry, Mrs. Welne and one infant, Mr. and Mrs. R. Macnachi, Mrs. Thomas Macnachi and one infant, Mrs. Annie Williams, Major and Mrs. J. P. Stevenson, Mr. C. F. Wintle, Dr. and Mrs. J. Reid, Mr. Thomas Reid, Mr. John Reid, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Watson, Major and Mrs. G. FitzG rald, Mr. George Brayshaw, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Macpherson, Dr. M. M. Mayne, Miss A. Clay, Mr. Barton R. Newton, Mr. R. Vansittart, Mr. R. Dobbie, Mrs. L. P. Saunders, Mrs. James Saunders, Mrs. Anne Saunders, Mr. R. E. D. Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine and one infant, Mr. R. P. Newman, Mr. V. R. Sharp, Mr. M. Swanson, Mr. J. P. Geoghegan, Mr. R. N. Mathews, Mr. J. G. R. Manwaring, and Mr. Gomperz Percy.

Holloway's Pills are the medicine most in repute for curing the multifarious maladies which attack humanity, as well as the weather gives no sudden change of temperature here. In short, these Pills afford relief in the fact of being an absolute remedy in all the disturbances of circulation, digestion, and nervous energy, which at times oppress a vast portion of the population. Under the wholesome purifying, and strengthening powers exerted by these excellent Pills, the tongue becomes clean, the appetite improves, digestion is quickened, and assimilation rendered perfect. Holloway's medicine possesses the highly estimable property of cleansing the whole mass of blood, which, in its renovated condition, carries purity, strength, and vigour to every tissue of the body.

H. H. HOLKAR AT MHOW.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

Nov. 22.

The Maharajah of Indore visited Mhow this morning. The troops, consisting of one regiment of cavalry, two batteries of artillery, and two regiments of infantry, were drawn up in line on the general parade-ground to receive His Highness, the whole under Sir R. Phayre, K. C. B. On arrival of the Maharajah, who was escorted by eight men of the 17th Lancers, a Royal salute was fired, and the troops then marched past, after which the 17th Lancers opened out and went through the lance exercise at a gallop. H. H. expressed his satisfaction by calling out, "Well done!" The troops then marched out for a sham battle, and after a good deal of manœuvring they were again drawn up in line, and advanced to salute His Highness, who said that he had had much pleasure in witnessing their morning's exercise. He felt proud of the British Army; indeed, he considered them his army, for they were here to protect him and the country in general. He desired to thank Sir R. Phayre and the troops under his command for the able manner in which they had worked, and for the great pleasure they had afforded him. This is the first time His Highness has visited Mhow for many years.

NEW DISPENSARY FOR THE DRANGHADRA STATE.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

The ceremony of opening the Bai-Raj-Ba Dispensary at Sita, Dranghadra State, took place on the 14th instant. There was a good gathering to witness the ceremony, including, besides His Highness's relations and suite, Major and Mrs. Stace, Mr. and Mrs. Beadle, and others.

The following address was read on behalf of His Highness by the State Physician, Dr. Dorabsha Hormusjee Baria:—Major Stace, ladies, and gentlemen,—Let me welcome you here in the name of my mother, the Janab Ma Saheb Bai-Raj-Ba, on this fitting occasion, and also at the same time convey to you, Major Stace, our heartfelt thanks for the readiness with which you have consented to let Mrs. Stace favour us by declaring this dispensary open, and yourself laying the foundation-stone of a building to be erected here for the better accommodation of the suffering poor of this town. There has been but one medical institution in this State up to now, viz., the Prince of Wales Hospital, and the dispensary attached to it, in the capital town, Drangadhra, where people would gladly avail themselves of the advantages derived from European medical science, and where persons suffering from a variety of diseases would come, even from distant parts of the State, to secure relief. But as the majority of the people living out of the capital town could not at all times pass over a long distance to Drangadhra for relief, and as several persons suffering even from the most ordinary and simplest disorders were reported dying unrelieved, or at any rate not promptly relieved by any appropriate method of treatment on a scientific basis, it was found imperative to remove this difficulty by opening branch dispensaries in two of the other most central and important towns of this State, viz., Sita and Halvad; and with this object in view the Janab Ma Saheb Bai-Raj-Ba has been graciously pleased to set up these two valuable medical institutions and to conduct their working, at her own expense, for the present in this old building, until a new one is erected at each of the abovenamed places. Your Honour is now requested to ask Mrs. Stace to kindly conduct the opening ceremony of the Sita institution, and to declare the Bai-Raj-Ba Dispensary open.

Major Stace then replied as follows:—Your Highness,—Let me request you to convey thanks on our behalf to the Janab Ma Saheb Bai-Raj-Ba for the kind invitation to conduct the ceremony of opening this dispensary, which it has afforded us great pleasure to accept. I take this opportunity of expressing my delight at the generosity of the Janab Ma Saheb, and I am sure this charitable act will do good to many people of the villages surrounding this town. I hope this will afford a nice example to many of the surrounding States to be as charitable as the Ma Saheb.

Mrs. Stace than declared the Bai-Raj-Ba Charitable Dispensary open. It was intended to lay the foundation-stone of a new building for the dispensary on a suitable site the next day, and to go through a similar ceremony a few days later at Halvad; but all further proceedings were for the present suddenly put a stop to on receiving the sad news of the untimely demise of the Maharani of H. H. the Maharajah of Rutlam and daughter of H. H. the Maharajah of Drangadhra.

FIFTH CRIMINAL SESSIONS.—Nov. 23.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice West.)

THE MURDER OF A SOLDIER AT COLABA.

Francis Clark, a soldier belonging to the 4th King's Own Regiment, was indicted for the murder of Owen Kelly, at Colaba, on the 9th inst. The case was tried by his Lordship and a special Jury consisting of the following gentlemen:—Messrs. Arthur Hewson (Foreman), Henry Conder, Nujmoodeen Tyebjee, James Hay, J. F. Hawthornthwaite, C. A. Beyts, Chubildas Laloobhoy, Goculdas Jugmohundas, and Narotumdas Hurgovundas.

The Hon'ble Mr. Latham, Advocate-General, and Mr. Tyrell, instructed by the Public Prosecutor, appeared for the prosecution; and Mr. Russell appeared for the defence.

The Advocate-General, in briefly opening the proceedings, said that the decision which the jury would have to give in the case would be most momentous, the prisoner being charged with the murder of a comrade. The facts of the case were as simple as any ever placed before a jury. The prisoner, Francis Clark, and the deceased, Owen Kelly, were both privates in the 4th King's Own Regiment, quartered at Colaba. They belonged to the same company, F. Company, and the cots of both of them were in the same bungalow, which was called No. 2 bungalow. In the afternoon of Thursday, the 9th instant, the two men were skylarking, as it was called. It was not clear whether the skylarking took place on more than one occasion; but it is certain that it did take place. The deceased appeared to have felt some sort of annoyance, probably not of a serious character, and to have said that if the prisoner did not get off his bed he (the deceased) would arrest him and put him into the guard-room. Clark seemed to have replied that he would not allow either the prisoner or any other man of F. Company to put him into the guard-room. Some time after nine o'clock it appeared that the prisoner took down his rifle, and shortly after he stood by the side of his cot, took aim, and shot the deceased. Kelly fell down from his cot to the ground, saying "I am dead." He was immediately picked up and taken to the hospital, and the prisoner was taken into custody. Kelly was attended to by Surgeon Baker, of the Army Medical Service, but he died the next morning of the effects of the wounds. A captain of the Royal Artillery visited Kelly at the hospital, and took down the statement which he made, that Clark had committed the murder. The point for the consideration of the jury was, whether a person discharging his rifle at another from a distance of two or three yards might not be expected to know that he was endangering that man's life. The learned counsel briefly explained to the jury the law upon the subject.

Witnesses were then called, whose evidence was similar to that given before the Coroner and in the Police Court.

H. Sear, a private in the 4th King's Own Regiment, deposed to having seen the prisoner discharge his rifle at the deceased.

In his cross-examination by Mr. Russell, he said, among other things.—There was no anger on either side. I saw the prisoner and the deceased part apparently on friendly terms. Just after firing the prisoner said, "Take that!" The prisoner did not drop his rifle on the ground after firing, but walked up to his bed and put it there. I was with my company at Baroda in May last. I am not a friend of the prisoner. I have heard that the prisoner attempted to commit suicide at Baroda, and a court-martial sat upon him for that offence. I and the prisoner have been in the same company for about four years.

Q.—You spoke a good deal of your duty, as a private, is performed in the sun? A.—No, sir, very little.

Q.—Won't you be on guard duty in the sun? A.—No, we perform that duty on the verandah.

Q.—Is it intended in any way you are kept out of the sun altogether? A.—No. We are not allowed leave to go out before five o'clock in the afternoon. The prisoner drinks sometimes, but does not take more than ordinary.

Q.—Do you know that the prisoner has been tried three times, during the last year, for getting drunk? A.—I don't know. I have not heard about it. They do not get tried every time they get drunk. If a man is tried for drunkenness, I hear for drunkenness, it would be above the average.

To the Court.—I have not, on any previous occasion, heard angry words pass between the prisoner and the deceased.

James Pattison, a private in the 4th King's Own Regiment, said that he had seen the prisoner discharge his rifle at the deceased from a distance of between two and three yards.

Cross-examined.—I have always known the prisoner and Kelly to be good friends. I know the prisoner has been once tried by court-martial for attempting to commit suicide. I have seen the prisoner a few times in liquor. When he is in liquor he is a very excitable man and gets easily offended. Liquor has a more exciting influence upon him than upon the majority of men. The prisoner is not of an irritable temperament when sober. When drunk, he gets so excited that he requires to be restrained by his comrades; otherwise he might do somebody harm. The court-martial tried him for cutting his throat. I have heard that he attempted suicide under the influence of liquor.

Re-examined.—The prisoner did not appear to be affected by liquor on the evening of the 9th instant. He seemed to be very steady. He did not appear excited. He was very quiet, and there was nothing particular in his demeanour.

Thomas Dunn, another private in the regiment, who found the bullet in the room where Kelly was shot, then gave evidence.

In his cross-examination the witness said he did not notice any ill-will at the time when the deceased said he would put the prisoner into the guard-room. The prisoner and Kelly were great friends. In fact, the prisoner was a greater friend of the deceased than of any other man in the regiment. Witness had not heard that the prisoner had been court-martialled for drunkenness during the last year; but he knew that he was once tried by a court-martial at Baroda. He had seen the prisoner several times under the influence of liquor.

Re-examined.—The deceased did not appear to be excited after he had discharged the rifle.

Francis McConnell, in the course of his cross-examination, said.—Kelly appeared to me to be serious when he said to the prisoner, "I will put you into the guard-room." Kelly put his hand on the prisoner in a joking manner. I and Private Saunders saw that a fight was apparently going to take place between the deceased and the prisoner. I am speaking of the time before roll-call. The deceased put himself in a fighting attitude, but he did not actually square up to the prisoner. Kelly and Clark were very great friends. I have been in the company only three or four months, and I have heard that when the prisoner is under the influence of liquor he is a man of an extremely irritable temperament, and has to be restrained. When I saw the horse-play, the prisoner did not appear to be affected or upset by drink.

John Collins, another private belonging to the regiment, said that he saw the prisoner clean his rifle on the night of the 9th instant, as he was passing out of the room. While he was on the verandah, he heard the report of a gun and some one shout that Private Kelly was killed. Witness entered the room and saw Kelly lying on the ground.

Cross-examined.—It is not an usual thing for a man to clean his rifle at that hour, though it is sometimes done. I have heard of the court-martial which sat upon the prisoner at Baroda. Personally I don't know whether the prisoner and the deceased were great friends; but I have seen them together. I do not know much of the prisoner. I have seen him take a little drink.

To the Court.—At the time when he was cleaning his rifle, the prisoner appeared to me to be perfectly sober.

Robert Saunders, a private in the 4th King's Own Regiment, in his cross-examination said he had known the prisoner for about five years. He was a very irritable man. Witness had known him very often get drunk. He knew that the prisoner was tried by a court-martial at Baroda for attempting to commit suicide.

Re-examined.—When I saw the prisoner on the evening of the 9th instant, he did not appear to be very much under the influence of liquor, nor did he appear to be excited.

Private William Cox said he was sleeping in the room, when he was awakened by the discharge of a rifle. He then saw the prisoner walk back to his bed with a rifle, and saw Kelly fall off his bed.

Being cross-examined, the witness said the prisoner and the deceased were very good friends.

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Being cross-examined, the witness said he had seen the prisoner get drunk a couple of times. He could not say whether the prisoner was an irritable man. The prisoner did not give him any particular trouble.

To the Court.—I

He did not see Mrs. Goulden. He stayed there for half an hour and then left. Mr. Winter came to our placed two or three days, I believe.

At this stage the case was adjourned for further hearing to the 28th instant.

THE MAZAGON MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

A GENERAL meeting of shareholders of the company was held yesterday at its resistered office, 18 Rampart-row, Mr. John Gordon, one of the liquidators, presiding. The final statement of account had been circulated to each shareholder. Since the last meeting held in July, 1882, the liquidators had nothing new to report. All the shareholders except one had now received the distributions. The final statement of account of the liquidation and the report of the liquidators, were approved and adopted. The sum of unclaimed distributions of assets, amounting to Rs. 416, consisting of Port Trust bonds and cash, was to be made over to Mr. Jamsetjee Cursetjee Cama, solicitor, with instructions to pay it to the shareholders to whom such distributions are due. It was resolved that the books, vouchers, and papers of the company be committed to the custody of Mr. Cama, but he was not to be held responsible for any loss or damage they might sustain while in his custody. The cash balance remaining in the hands of the liquidators after paying all expenses, namely, about Rs. 125, was to be paid to Mr. Sittaram Gopinath, the secretary to the liquidators, for the good services he had rendered to the company; and the dead stock furniture, of the value of about Rs. 150, was to be handed over Mr. Jamsetjee Cursetjee Cama, in consideration of his keeping in his custody the books, vouchers, and papers. The affairs of the company were declared to be fairly and fully wound up; and the best thanks of the shareholders were accorded to the liquidators (Messrs. John Gordon and Damodhardas Tapidas) for the satisfactory completion of the business of the liquidation.

HIGH COURT.—NOVEMBER 23.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice SCOTT.)

JAMSETJEE DORABJEE NAIGAUMWALLA *vs.* ANUNDRAO BHASKERJEE.

MR. VICAJEE, instructed by Messrs. Jefferson, Bhaishunker, and Dinshaw, for the plaintiff, asked for a postponement till the 5th December next, on the ground that the plaintiff had died, and it was necessary to make his executors parties to the suit. There was no appearance for the defendant; and the application was granted.

NUSSERWANJEE ARDASIR WADIA *vs.* HORMUSJEE BOMONJEE WADIA.

Mr. Rivett-Carnac, instructed by Messrs. Cleveland, Little, and Nicholson, for the plaintiff, asked for a postponement till the first short cause day after the Christmas, vacation on the ground that negotiations for an amicable settlement were going on. His Lordship postponed the case till the 8th January next.

CASES STRUCK OUT.

A suit brought by Nusserwanjee Ardasir Wadia against Cursetjee Nusserwanjee Cama, and another by Purshotum Jootha and another against Hunsraj Chuttoorbhooj, were dismissed for want of appearance.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice BAYLEY.)

KESSERBAI, WIDOW, AND ANOTHER *vs.* KURSONDAS BHOODERJEE AND ANOTHER.

MR. FREERE, of Messrs. Smith and Frere, presented to his Lordship in Chambers a plaint praying that the estate of the deceased Ramdas Bhooderjee be administered, and the trust of his will carried into execution, under the directions of the court; that an account be taken of the state and effects of the deceased; that due provision be made for the maintenance of the plaintiff Nathoobhoy Ramdas; that the defendant be decreed to deliver up to Keserbai her ornaments, or to pay to her Rs. 725, the value thereof. His Lordship accepted the plaint as a long cause.

RURRY BHANJEE AND OTHERS *vs.* RAMDAS PURSHOTUM AND OTHERS.

MR. WILKIN, of Messrs. Skipsey and Wilkin, presented a plaint in which the plaintiffs claimed Rs. 6,434, being the amount due from the defendant [illegible] Guierates policy of insurance dated

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A wabai and others—Ardesir and H—Part heard.

26-31—In person—Mahomedibrahim bin Cumroodin, and C. vs Gulam Mohidin bin Dadoo Meya, &c—Tyabji and D.

278-82—Crawford and B—C. Palmer and another vs Rustomji Merwanji Boyce and others—Tobin and R.

283-82—Prescot and W.—T. F. Punnett vs Heerji Govindji and another—In person—R. M. Sayani.

313-82—M. H. Khan—Hemandass Kevalram vs Thucker Poonja Javat and another—Balkrishna and B.

4-80—Prescot and W—R. P. Harding vs E Rammell—Chalk and W.

BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES.—The two most important measures for the next session of the Bengal Legislative Council will, we hear, be the Local self-Government and Mofussil Municipal Bills. There will be a few other small bills, namely, a General Tramway Bill to amend the Burials Act, and a Bill to regulate the trustees in the suburbs of Calcutta.—*Hindoo Patriot.*

ACCIDENT TO MR. F. F. WYMAN.—Mr. F. F. Wyman, of Calcutta, Honorary Magistrate and Justice of the Peace, is at present under the hands of his medical attendant suffering from the effects of an accident while on a visit to a tea garden. The roof of a *cutcha* house on which he was standing gave way, precipitating him to the ground and breaking one of his arms. He came into Calcutta at once, and is now said to be in a fair way. *Statesman.*

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT.—We understand that the Government of Bengal has again addressed the Government of India asking for a reconsideration of its proposal for the establishment of a Central Board of Control in connection with the project of local self-government. We have always said that we are in favour of a Central Board, but we do not want an official bureau. By all means appoint paid official members who will do all the work, but for general deliberations we would associate non-official members with them.—*Hindoo Patriot.*

MISS POMEROY.—The Pomeroy Company just missed the Calcutta mail steamer leaving Colombo by one day, and are now delayed at that place, which they will not be able to leave for ten days. Miss Pomeroy and her company will consequently not arrive here before the 1st.—*Statesman.*

MADRAS.

HINDUS AND MAHOMEDANS.—There appears to have been a misunderstanding on Sunday night between a gathering of respectable Hindus and an assembly of Mahomedans, in Vurdamuthiappen-street, Black Town, at about a quater past ten o'clock. A Hindu gentleman had obtained a license from the Commissioner of Police, for the observance of some domestic ceremonies, and this document gave him the privilege of beating a *dhole* or *muddalum*, and having music in passing through certain streets, between the hours of 6 a. m. and 12 noon, and 6 and 11 p. m. from the 16th to the 20th November. At the time we have mentioned, a procession of carriages, &c, containing the Hindu host and his guests, was stopped in Vurdamuthiappan-street by a dense crowd of Mahomedans, who had apparently entered into sole occupation of this thoroughfare, as they blockaded the path and refused to allow the carriage with their occupants to pass. The Hindus, we are told, were courteous enough to make a concession by stopping their music; but even then their further progress was stayed, and, to avoid anything like an unpleasant collision, they turned their vehicles and wen back in the direction from which they had entered the street. The matter is likely to engage the attention of the Commissionr of Police.—*Madras Times.*

THE SALEM RIOTS.

A TELEGRAM to the *Madras Times* from Salem, Nov. 20, states.—Judgment was delivered to-day by Mr. H. Wigram, the Additional Sessions Judge, in the case of the second batch of ten prisoners, charged with having been conspirators and ringleaders in the riot of 16th August last, namely (1) Ponnusawmy Chetty, Municipal Commissioner and merchant of Chettipatt, (2) Viziaragava Charry, Vakil of the Shevaroy Court and Municipal Commissioner, (3) District sum Chetty, (4) Monoosawmy Chetty, Vizianrum of Salem, (5) Kandapa Mudalli, Village merchants Vaspuram, (6) Yeraph Gounden, Village Munsiff of Ammasamapatta, (7) Kanda Gounden, Village Munsiff of Peramanoor, (8) Mutukomarasawmy den, ryot of Peramanoor, (9) Yella Mudalli, Village Munsiff, and (10) Veerasawmy pah Naik, dealer being accused. Pillay, Gumastah of the [illegible] one, and its delivery The judgment was a severe one, and its delivery occupied two hours. Of Viziaragava Charry, soners were convicted and sentenced to the 2nd prisoner, was convicted. Pounoosawmy ten years' rigorous imprisonment and sentenced Chetty, 1st prisoner, was convicted 2,000 fine, and to five year's imprisonment and in year's further in default of payment of fine, to one 5th prisoner, imprisonment. Kundapa Mudelly 7 years' imwas convicted and sentenced to four ners were prisonment. The remaining seven pris acquitted and discharged.

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SALES BY AUCTION.

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SALE OF MOST VALUABLE 4 PEARL BANGLES.

On THURSDAY, the 30th instant, at 3 p. m., Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by public auction, by order of the Mortgagee, and on account and risk of the mortgagor, Mr. Jivanjee Jamsajee Mistry, 2 pearl bangles of 48 large pearls set with diamonds, and 2 pearl bangles of 50 (seated) loose large pearls and with diamonds, in all 98 pearls, weighing about 500 chuvs.

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Bombay, 24th November, 1882.

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WEEKLY AUCTION SALE.

THIS DAY, FRIDAY, the 24th inst., at 1 p.m., Messrs SORABJEE COWASJEE & Co. will hold their usual Auction Sale at their rooms as follow :—

A choice collection of bohemian glass flower vases, of various designs, samples of glassware, japaned tea trays and gold lookets, pencil cases, bracepins, buttons, &c.

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On account and at the risk of Hora Abdoolhoosin Moola Esoofbhoy—

20 casks of iron pickaxes.

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800 Japanese folding Fans.

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AUCTION SALE of Piece Good in the office godowns of Messrs. W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Borah Bazaar-street, Fort.

On FRIDAY, the 24th instant, at 3 p. m., Messrs. MENESSE and Co will sell by public auction in the godowns of Messrs. W & A. GRAHAM & Co., Borah Bazaar-treet, Fort.

A quantity of grey white and coloured piece-goods consisting of shirtings, jaconets, madapollams, prints, muslins white and coloured lappets, cotton frocks, &c., &c.

AUCTION SALE OF OLD CAST STEEL FILES.

On WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, at 2 p. m., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at the G. I. P. Railway Stores Depôt, Neabit-road, Byculla.

A quantity of old cast steel files.

The above can be seen on application at Stores Office.

MENESSE & CO.

Bombay, 24th November, 1882.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY, 7, MARINE-STREET, BOMBAY.

SALE OF VALUABLE LANED PROPERTIES AT BELGAUM.

Under instructions from the Administrator-General, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction, on the premises at Belgaum, the undermentioned houses belonging to the estate of the late Dr. Samuel Kent Parson, and situate in the Cantonment at Belgaum :—

Lot No.	House No.	Locality.
1	45	Left Flank Native Infantry Lines.
2	47	Do.
3	48	Do.
4	49	Do.
5	50	Do.
6	57	Artillery & European Infy. Lines.
7	72	Do.
8	73	Do.
9	64	Right Flank Native Infy. Lines.
10	66	Do.

The sale will be held THIS DAY, FRIDAY, and TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 24th and 25th days of November, 1882, at 3 p.m. each day. The first five houses will be sold on the first day and the remaining five on the second day of sale.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to the undersigned at their office in Bombay.

THIS DAY, FRIDAY, the 24th inst., sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at No. 7, Clare-road, Byculla, on the 1st floor, the valuable and handsome neat french-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, best plated ware, richly engraved glassware, rich crockery-ware, a mahogany slate bagatelle table with balls, cues, &c., handsome brussels carpet, handsome flower vases, rich table ornaments, handsome oleographs in gilt frames, 2 and 4 light bronze hanging lamps, &c., the property of W. T. Piercy, Esq., the same comprises richly engraved glassware, handsome dinner, dessert and breakfast services, best plated cruet and dinner sauce frames, vegetable dishes, teapot, biscuit box, bread basket, spoons and forks, waiter, teapot, breakfast companion, sugar stands, a set of fish knives and forks in case, table, piano and chamber candlesticks, table cutlery by Mappins, reading lamp, blackwood and teakwood furniture, such as dining-room, drawing-room, pier, writing, oval, folding, and Madras pattern dressing and washband tables, dining [illegible] reclining, office, folding, [illegible] without armchairs, [illegible] bookstand, dumb- [illegible] teapoys, chiffonier, [illegible] bagatelle table [illegible] table, a large size [illegible] ot, wardrobe, glass [illegible] with mirror glass, [illegible] drawers, English [illegible] ussels carpet, table [illegible] ctures, flowervases, [illegible] s, bath-room, furni-

[illegible] NDIAN FIRST-RES.

[illegible], at 4 p.m., Messrs. [illegible] ublic auction at the [illegible] in small convenient

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 25th instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at the Apollo Rooms, Apollo-street, [illegible] valuable and handsome [illegible] plain blackwood [illegible] best platedware, [illegible] plain ware, a rosewood [illegible] G. Tescher, 5 and [illegible] russels carpet, brass [illegible] vases, pictures, &c., [illegible] comprises star cut [illegible] and breakfast services [illegible] or and egg frames, [illegible] es and coffee services, [illegible] sets of fish and fruit [illegible] amber candlesticks, [illegible] od furniture, such as [illegible] val, writing, camp, [illegible] nd washband tables, [illegible] folding, office, reclining arm chairs, sideboard table with marble [illegible] e, with balls, piano [illegible] n and hall couches, [illegible] nd bookstands, brass [illegible] and dressing glasses, chest of drawers, a mahogany [illegible] myr, camp cot, glass door cupboard, a large size musical box, Brussels carpet, pictures, flower vases, rich table ornaments, clocks, single and double light hanging argand lamps, table and hanging lamps, bath and dispense room furniture, copper utensils &c., &c.

Catalogues are ready and the property is on view.

On SUNDAY, the 26th inst., sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by public auction at Bandora, close to Manecki Jeena's Dhurramsalla, the valuable and handsome frenchpolished blackwood and teakwood carved and plain household and shop furniture, glassware, few articles of platedwares, table and hanging lamps, handsome Brussels carpets, pictures, richly carved blackwood wardrobe, a teakwood almirah with mirror glass door, pier glass in gilt frame, provisions, &c., the property of a Parsee Merchant, the same comprises blackwood and teakwood furniture, such as dining-room, drawing-room, pier, side, writing, folding and dressing tables, dining-room, drawing-room, easy, low, folding, reclining and Mallet pattern arm and without arm chairs, sideboard, bookstand, whatnot, dumbwaiter, conversation and sofa couches, teapoys, largesize blackwood bedsteads, camp cot, baby's cradle, clothes press, gown press, wardrobe, chest-of-drawers, richly carved blackwood wardrobe, a teakwood almirah with mirror glass door, dressing glass glass door largesize cupboard, show cases, 2 and 4 light bronze hanging lamps, table and hanging lamps, handsome Brussels carpet, pictures, table ornaments, flower vases, clock, shop furniture, such as glass door cupboards, show cases, writing table with drawers, provisions, Europe goods, &c., &c.

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SALE OF MACHINERY.

On MONDAY, the 27th inst., at 3 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by public Auction at a godown opposite the town Custom House, a quantity of machinery (steam stearer).

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Full particulars will appear hereafter.

On SATURDAY, the 2nd proximo, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by public auction at Marine Lines, the valuable and handsome frenchpolished teakwood and blackwood household furniture, best platedware, rich crockery and glassware, a light dog cart, a grey Arab horse, single and double harnesses, handsome flower vases, picture, rich table ornaments, plants, &c., the property of Lieut. A. B. MEE.

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General passes covering guns for a whole year may also be obtained on application to the Collector of Customs at the Custom House.

C. B. PRITCHARD,
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Bombay, Custom House, 17th November, 1882.

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